THE WEATHER.

Fair and cooler in east, rain in west portion Tuesday, followed by fair Wednesday and warmer; moderate west to southwest winds.

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PAY YOUR POLL TAX.

Do you want to vote this year? Have you paid your State and county poll tax? If not, You must pay by April 30th, or you will disfranchise yourself. Look after this and also your neighbor.

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BULLS TRIUMPH IN CROP REPORTS

Severe Weather Affecting Cotton Causes Activity on Market.

DAY ON NEW YORK EXCHANGE

Excitement Equal to the Big Break Last January—Rumored Bull Campaign Will be Carried Through the Season.

New York, April 25.—Not since the big break of January last has the New York Cotton Exchange experienced so much activity and excitement as today. It was a time of triumph for the bulls, whose already strengthened position as regards the old crop was sensationally stimulated by reports of disastrous weather in the South affecting the coming crop.

This led to rumors that the bull campaign was to be carried on throughout the end of the current season and possibly into early new crop deliveries, as it was in the season of of 1902-03, when after Sully's sucessful deal in May contracts. Messrs. Brown and Hayne, who are prominently mentioned in connection with the present bull movement, carried the bull campaign through into July, August and September. It is urged in this connection that even if the South finds sufficient seed to re-plant the entire area reported damaged, the cold snap has made it look like a late crop, and that mills consequently will be dependent upon other crop supplies or a correspondingly longer period. Meanwhile preparations for making enormous deliveries in May contracts are steadily going forward. It is said that the inspection bureau of the New York Cotton Exchange had a larger force of men engaged in preparing cotton for delivery yesterday than ever before, and according to the official figures, the stock of certificated cotton at New York, which was reported as 87,000 bales toward the end of March, had mounted up to 161,000 bales by the close of business on Saturday, with predictions that between 180,000 and 200,000 bales would be ready for delivery by May 1st. Moreover, the May shorts have until the end of May to secure cotton for delivery on contrast.

Far as the market learned, nothing further developed during the day in respect to the Federal grand jury proceedings against the bull clique, nor were there any further disclosures with reference to the affairs of Knight, Yancey & Company, the Southern spot firm whose failure caused such widespread consternation last week. According to the latest estimates, New York firms are creditors to the extent of over $600,000. It is rumored that those firms which had sold May for shipments expected here from the failed Southern house are finding little difficulty of adjusting their contracts around present prices, and that they will be out little more than their actual advances, if the cotton does not materialize. It is reported that the three English spot cotton men, who arrived here today from Liverpool sailed before the Knight-Yancey failure was announced with a view to investigating the firm's condition. They declined to be interviewed today.

Seldom has such a flood of crop damage reports poured into the local trade from so wide an area as today and for the time being it seemed that the excitement in new crop months was overshadowing the old crop situation, possible legislation, the government investigation and even the Knight Yancey failure.

While the inference was that the reports of a damage was more or less exaggerated they were effective in the market on the theory that the sleet, snow and freezing temperatures found an unusually large amount of cotton up for the last week in April, while ultimate damage from a new crop standpoint was predicted by reports of an insufficient supply of seed for replanting.

Damage complaints from the South were in many instances accompanied by Southern buying orders and almost all the fresh buying for the long account was said to be for new crop delivery. It was believed around the local ring that the bull leaders were selling the near positions at times during the day in order to prevent too rapid an advance, or to reduce their holdings, and it was the new crop which chiefly reflected the broadening of bullish sentiment. October cotton sold at 12.94 or 57 points of today. May touched 14.92 or a gain of only 21 points from the closing price of last week. The market closed at practically the best point of the day, so far as the new crop was concerned, and trading during the last half hour was probably the most active of the entire season. The opening advance in the New York market was greatly encouraged by the strength of Liverpool which had the bad weather reports before the trading here started.

Staunton, Va., April 25.—When the stork visited Mrs. William Rife here today it left four children in the Rife home, but to the distress of the parents, one of the little visitors died almost on arrival. The remaining three, two boys and a girl, are doing well, as is the mother, who is 30 years old. The Rifes have three other children, the oldest five years of age.

Senators Who Will Retire From United States Senate

Washington, April 23.—With the passing of two members of the old guard, Senators Aldrich and Hale, the question that is causing the greatest interest in Washington circles is who will get their places. Senator Aldrich having authorized the statement that he will retire at the end of his present term in the Senate, adds new interest as to what Senator Lodge, of Massachusetts, will do. Congressman Ames is contesting his re-election. A dozen candidates want to slip the mantle of Senator Hale over their shoulders. Among those mentioned are former Governor William T. Cobb, of Rockland. Congressman E. C. Burleigh, H. M. Heath, a prominent lawyer of Augusta; former Governor Henry B. Cleaves, of Portland, G. H. Murchie, G. A. Curran, G. H. Eaton, of Calais and former Governor John F. Hill, of Augusta.

SANITARY SUNDAY OBSERVED

Raleigh Churches in Tuberculosis Campaign—Wake Superior Court—Sunday School Building—Butter Prizes Awarded.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., April 25.—Health Sunday was observed by the pastors of practically all the Raleigh churches with sermons dealing with the health of the human body and its relation to the well being of the spiritual being and with the duty of observing means for maintaining the health of the individual and duty to others in spreading knowledge of intelligent sanitation and the prevention of the spread of preventable diseases.

Rev. Milton A. Barber, rector of Christ Episcopal church, declared that he was co-operating through a health sermon with the State and National Health Sunday movement in the face of opposition on the part of some of his parisioners. The movement, he said, has the endorsement of the highest bishops of the church and bears a most vital relation to the church and he had no hesitation in extending this co-operation. At all the services the imperative necessity of relief from preventable diseases was illustrated by the fact that more people die in the United States each year from tuberculosis than were killed on all the battlefields during the Civil war and that in North Carolina alone 12,000 people die annually from preventable diseases.

There are seventy nine cases docketed for trial in the three weeks term of Superior Court for civil causes convened today by Judge O. H. Allen. There are 25 set for trial this week and 27 each for the next two weeks.

The contract is awarded for a $25,000 home for the Sunday School of Edenton Street Methodist church of this city. It will be a modern Sunday School structure, made of brick with attractive trimmings. It will be two stories, there being a special gallery arrangement that will accommodate about 500 people. There will be class rooms so partitioned on the first floor that the whole place can be converted into an auditorium when desired.

The Raleigh Aldermen have put up the license tax on pool and billard rooms from $25 to $100 a year.

The A. & M. baseball team left today for their annual trip North. They played at Winston Salem today, their schedule for the week being V. P. I. at Blacksburg, Tuesday; Naval Academy at Annapolis, Wednesday; Georgetown at Washington, Thursday; Washington College at Chestertown, Md., Friday; United States Ship Franklin at Norfolk, Saturday. The game at Winston-Salem today is with the Winston Team of the Carolina League.

Three charters were granted today. The Pridgen Manufacturing Co., Warrenton, capital $15,000 by W. H. Pridgen and others for general wood working business; the Lake Land and Lumber Co., Monroe, capital $10,000 by J. R. English and others, and the Justice Grocery Co., Rutherfordton, capital $10,000 by Clarence Justice and others.

The State Department of Agriculture announces the award of prizes in the butter contest in progress the past year with entries from many parts of the State. The awards follow: First prize, $25, W. R. Lutz, Newton, score 91.25; second prize, $20, L. H. Seitz, Newton, average 91.25; third prize, $15, W. F. Baker, Charlotte, average score 91.25; fourth prize, $10, J. B. Lutz & Son, Newton, score 90.91; fifth prize, $5, H. P. Lutz, Newton, average, 90.66. The contestants were required to send one pound of butter each month to be graded and criticized.

A MOVE TO HAMPER INQUIRY

Action of Senator Lodge in Regard to Cost of Living Investigation Declared to be For Political Purposes.

Washington, April 25.—Senator Lodge today gave notice in the Senate that he would not further press his resolution appropriating $65,000 for the exension of the Senate's inquiry into the cost of living. He gave as the reason for his attitude the opposition of the Democratic senators.

As a matter of courtesy to Senator Percy, of Mississippi, who wished to speak, Mr. Lodge asked general consent to have the resolution taken up. Before Mr. Percy could proceed Mr. Stone entered a protest to Mr. Lodge's statement, "We do not accept the statement of the Senator that he cannot bring his resolution to a vote because of the opposition on this side."

Mr. Lodge said he was willing to have a vote taken at any time

Mr. Stone contended for the regularity and propriety of the Democratic opposition to the resolution and he expressed the opinion that a vote might be obtained at a comparatively early date.

Mr. Lodge reiterated his willingness to take a vote on the resolution, but not to delay the railroad bill.

When the resolution was taken up for discussion Mr. Percy expressed the opinion that it was a political move and intended to save the waning fortunes of the Republican party. He said he could not bring himself to support it without an amendment extending the inquiry into cotton speculations, declaring that "in all the spoliations, declaring that "in all the spoliations and combines under the New York Cotton Exchange, not once had the strong arm of the government been stretched out in the protection of that section."

Declaring sectionalism a matter of the past, Mr. Percy declared that nevertheless it was coming to be generally recognized that the white man must control affairs in the South. "The property holding and intelligent class must govern, and that means a government by the Anglo-Saxons," he said.

Mr. Stone also insisted upon speaking on the resolution.

He said that the inquiry had as its sole purpose the gathering of material designed to aid the Republican

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VETERANS DEFY COLD AT MOBILE

Confederate Soldiers Gather in Alabama, For Annual Reunion.

CAMP FIRES IN EVIDENCE

Sons of Veterans Held Opening Session Last Night—Ancient City Gaily Decorated For Reunion. Advance Guard.

Mobile, Ala., April 25.— With the ancient city of Mobile enfete for the reception of the United Confederate Veterans, with her streets and public buildings a mass of gaily colored bunting and glimmering lights, with the tented city erected and ready for occupancy and with the work of the various city's committees completed, it remained for the weather to strike the one discordant note in the welcome extended to the "old boys," who marched and fought under the star and bars.

After delightful Summer weather for a month or more the weather was today cold and disagreeable.

A special guard of honor, made up of commissioned officers met the Confederate choir, 100 strong, when that bevy of pretty Southern girls, attired in trim gray uniforms arrived at 9 o'clock this morning from Richmond. At their hear marched Mrs. J. Graiff Edwards, commander-in-chief of the choir. Mrs. Edwards is famous for her beauty and her rendition of "Dixie". As the slender girlish chief of the choir marched her feminine command in line, one old veteran whispered to another:

"You have never heard 'Dixie' sung until you hear that girl sing it."

The first business session of the reunion was that of the Ladies' Memorial Association this afternoon in the battle house auditorium. It was presided over by Mrs. Electra Semmes Colston.

The Confederate choir and a woman's orchester furnished the music. The Sons of Veterans held their opening session tonight. It was the nature of a social session, in which addresses of welcome were made. The only official business transacted was the naming of the committee on credentials which will be reported. Then Governor J. Y. Sanders, of Louisiana, was presented to the sons, the sponsers, maids and matrons, who are attached to the different divisions.

Trains carrying gray clad Veterans are still sidetracked outside the town awaiting their turn to enter the stations. The tented city on the bay was a gay place tonight. Thousands of yellow government tents, each holding three Veterans were in service. Camp fires spluttered and roared in grateful warmth in the company streets. War songs and sacred hymns were heard above the din while now and then the tinkle of banjos and the high pitched "coon song" told of the efforts of dusky entertainers to amuse the city's guests. The weather is still cold, but an appeal to citizens to lend blankets met with a ready and generous response and no one slept cold in the tented city tonight.

FIRE AT ANDERSON, S. C.

South Carolina Town Had Destructive Blaze Yesterday.

Anderson, S. C., April 25.—Fire today destroyed the stock of dry goods of John Ferguson valued at $25,000 and did damage to the amount of $2,500 to the building. There was $16,500 insurance on the stock and $2,200 on the store room, which is owned by Messrs. M. B. and J. M. Sullivan and Mrs. Leila Sullivan. The flames started from a gasoline light in the rear of the store and spread rapidly. The stores of Lesser & Co., and the Orr Gray Drug Co. adjoining were damaged slightly by water and smoke.

OUTLINES.

Governor Hughes, of New York, yesterday informed President Taft that he will accept the nomination as Associate Justice of the United States Supreme Court. He will not be expected to take the bench until next October. The nomination was sent to the Senate——Due to the reports from the South of damage to the coming cotton crop by severe weather, the bulls triumphed on the New York Cotton Exchange yesterday——In the Senate yesterday Senator Lodge made known that he would not press his resolution for the extention of the cost of living inquiry. His action was regarded as a political move——Heavy snow storms over Eastern Tennessee, Northern and Central Alabama and Georgia caused the greatest loss in early cotton, fruits, and vegetables experienced in many years——Senators Dolliver and Root in the Senate yesterday were in debate over an amendment to the railroad bill——New York markets: Money on call steady 2 7-8 to 3 per cent., ruling rate and closing bid 2 7-8, offered at 3; flour quiet with prices steady; wheat firm No. 2 red 1.16 1-2 nominal, No. 1 northern 1.19 3-4 nominal f. o. b. opening navigation; corn spot steady, steamer 63 1-2 nominal and November nominal both elevator export basis; oats steady, mixed nominal; rosin steady, turpentine easy; spot cotton closed quiet 10 points higher, middling uplands 15.25, middling gulf 15.50.

SEVERE WEATHER DESTROYS CROPS

Snow, Sleet and Frost in All Southern States Including Florida.

ALL VEGETATION IS DAMAGED

Millions of Acres of Young Cotton Destroyed—Worse Financial Setback to South Probably Since Civil War.

Atlanta, Ga., April 25.—With millions of acres of young cotton destroyed by the cold weather today overspreading the entire cotton belt with the unusual April accompaniment in many sections of snow and sleet, the South has suffered its most disastrous financial setback perhaps since the Civil war. Besides cotton, young vegetation of every description suffered from the freezing temperatures and fruit was more or less damaged in every Southern State except Florida.

Reports received tonight indicate that the cold snap has not abated in Georgia, South Carolina, Tennessee, Northern Alabama, Louisiana, Mississippi and even further west, and for much of this territory a heavy frost and freezing temperatures are predicted for Tuesday morning. In Atlanta and throughout the northern half of Georgia, except near the Atlantic, the thermometer has been below 40 degrees above zero all day with falling temperatures tonight. Atlanta awoke this morning to find snow covered houses and the thermometer down to 31, an experience never before recorded after the first few days of April. Snow fell as far south as Selma, Ala., Columbus, Miss., and Columbus, Ga., and in North Georgia, Tennessee, and part of North Alabama and Mississippi the fall ranged from one to four inches.

Cotton seed oil mills in this State and Alabama today were appealed to for seed for re-planting purposes and State officials implored the mills to crush no more seed until the farmers have been supplied. It is doubtful, however, if sufficient seed can be secured, even at the record price being offered, to re-plant one-half of the area of young cotton destroyed by the cold.

Telegrams were received from all sections of the South today asking for an allotment of seed supplies.

Atlanta, Ga., April 25.—With snow storms of blizzard proportions raging throughout Eastern Tennessee, Northern and Central Alabama and the greater part of Georgia, this section of the country today faced the greatest loss in early cotton, fruits and vegetables experienced in many years.

In Georgia alone according to Commissioner of Agriculture T. G. Hudson, fully 50 per cent. of the cotton crop is killed. More than 90 per cent. of the crop was above ground and reports indicate that a scarcity of seed will prevent re-planting of vast acreages. The fruit crop, it is stated, has suffered little damage in this State.

Missouri Fruit Killed.

Columbia, Mo., April 25.—J. C. Whitten, in charge of the horticultural experiment station at the University of Missouri, tonight announced that reports from all parts of Missouri show that the fruit crop is a total loss, because of the cold weather. Trees have been injured but will recover. Small fruits also have been killed, but belated flower clusters may make a small crop.

Snow at Pensacola.

Pensacola, Fla., April 25.—The cold wave which swept over the South today has reached Florida. Today there was a light fall of snow here and with a heavy frost indicated tonight the fruit and vegetables are in danger of destruction.

Flurry at Anderson, S. C.

Anderson, S. C., April 25.—For the first time in history an April snow fell here this afternoon. The fall continued only a few minutes when it turned into rain. The temperature is 40 degrees above zero tonight.

"BRAVES" LINED UP.

Eight Hundred Cherokees Receive Money in Snow Storm.

Asheville, N. C., April 25.—Eight hundred "braves" of the Cherokee reservation near Whittier, this State, lined up in a driving snow storm at noon today to receive from Special Agent Frank Kyselka, of the Cherokee Indian School, the second installment of the so-called "timber money" being a part of the proceeds of the sale of land known as the "Love tract."

Today's payment is a partial settlement of long pending claims due from the government to the Cherokee Indians. The distribution amounted to $76,000. Those present today received a per capita share of $40.

The claims now being settled grow out of the sale of the Indian lands made by the government about the middle of the last century, when it undertook to move the Cherokee Indians to Indian Territory.

Among those who delivered addresses today were Mrs. Belva Lockwood, of Washington, D. C. She cautioned the Indians about sending their money away for "fire water". She advised them to bank their money and qualify as voters in the community.

GOV. HUGHES TO SUCCEED BREWER

Nomination as Supreme Court Justice Sent to Senate by Taft.

PLEASED WITH ACCEPTANCE

Satisfaction Over Nomination of Hughes Expressed in Washington—Will Assume Duties in October.

Washington, April 25.—President Taft late today received from Governor Charles E. Hughes, of New York, a letter accepting a tendered appointment as Associate Justice of the Supreme Court of the United States. Five minutes after the letter was handed to the President the nomination of Governor Hughes was on its way to the Senate. That body had adjourned for the day, however, and so the Senate will not hear officially of the designation of Governor Hughes to succeed the late Justice David J. Brewer until tomorrow.

While it is expected that Governor Hughes will be confirmed with little or no delay, it is understood here that he will remain as the chief executive of the State of New York until next October and will not take the oath of office until the Fall term of the Supreme Court opens the second Monday in that month.

President Taft has been anxious to secure the best men he could for the Supreme Court vacancy and he feels that he has done so.

He was much elated over the success of his tender to Governor Hughes and tonight said:

"I am very much delighted to secure Governor Hughes for the bench. He is a man of wide experience and marked ability and it is a mighty valuable thing to have on the great bench of

the Supreme Court a man of affairs. Governor Hughes is 48 years of age, I think, and even if he should retire at 70, he will have had 22 years of solid usefulness on the bench."

The appointment of Governor Hughes was received throughout Washington with the greatest satisfaction. The announcement, however, came as something of a surprise despite the fact that it had been generally understood for days that the position was to be tendered him.

The first overtures regarding the appointment are said to have been conducted through Senator Root, of New York. It was not until Friday last that the President wrote a formal letter offering the place to Governor Hughes. That fact was carefully guarded. Governor Hughes deliberated over the matter for a final day and yesterday wrote his acceptance. The letter reached the White House this afternoon as the President was preparing to leave. He delayed his departure long enough to see that an official statement be prepared. The statement follows:

"The President by letter of April 22nd tendered the appointment of the Supreme bench to succeed Justice Brewer to Governor Charles E. Hughes, of New York. By letter of April 24th, Governor Hughes accepted. In the President's letter to Governor Hughes he told him that as the Supreme Court would adjourn its hearings this week, the person appointed would not be called upon to discharge any judicial functions until the opening of the October term on the second Monday in October, and that, therefore, if Governor Hughes could accept he might continue to discharge his duties as Governor until his qualification on the day of the opening of the court in October next. This was a material factor in Governor Hughes' acceptance. Accordingly, if the nomination is confirmed, as there is every reason to believe it will be, Governor Hughes' qualification will not take place until October."

The general opinion here is that the appointment of Governor Hughes will eliminate him from the State campaign this Fall. The campaign will be only fairly underway at the time the Governor will be called upon to take the oath of office and enter upon his judicial duties.

The news of the acceptance of Governor Hughes reached the justices just as they were adjourning for the day. They were all surprised and all pleased.

"I am delighted," said Chief Justice Fuller.

"A fine appointment," said Justice

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PARIS OFFICIALS HONOR ROOSEVELT

Glowing Tributes to American at Reception at Hotel Deville.

HE SPENT AN EVENTFUL DAY

Teddy Has Touched the Hearts of the People of Paris—Given Ovation at Opera—Greets Crowds.

Paris, April 25.—As the guest of the city of Paris today Theodore Roosevelt was received by the city fathers in the hotel Deville and was the subject of glowing tributes pronounced by M. Caron, president of the municipal counsel; M. Delzeves prefect of the Seine, and many others prominent.

In extending the formal welcome to the city, Mr. Caron said that Mr. Roosevelt loomed up to Paris "As what we call a man, because, being courageous, you have mastered yourself by reflection, because though passionately loving a struggle, you love more passionately conciliation and peace; because you are a patriot to whom your country owes great achievements, and because you represent the conviction that the law of work is the fundamental law of being, a thought you have so brilliantly developed in asserting that the man wilfully idle and the woman wilfully sterile have no right place in a robust and vigorous community."

M. Lepine declares that the demonstrations made by the French people in honor of Mr. Roosevelt showed that he had touched their hearts.

It is a mistake he said "to believe that Paris was skeptical and frivolous. Beneath the ashes the fire burns and the soul of the people is as full of idealism as in the most glorious days of our history. Paris respects in you the great republic to which you belong and to which it is attacaed by indissoluble ties. Its heart goes straight out to the man you are."

Mr. Roosevelt replied in French, voicing the deepest gratitude for the expressions addressed to him, but protesting that they were too flattering. "You make of me," said he, "an ideal which I can only try to realize in the future."

The former President paid a high tribute to Paris and its past. After an inspection of the magnificent building, Mr. Roosevelt sat down to luncheon between Premier Briand and M. Caron, two hundred others being present. The ex-President proposed a toast to the city of Paris and the French people. During a visit which he paid to the carnavalet museum Col. Roosevelt manifested great interest in the orginal revolutionary documents. From the museum Col. Roosevelt visited Notre Dame, spending half an hour in examining the beautiful visits of the Nave and transept from various points. Owing to lack of time the climb to the towers, which is more than 200 feet had to be abandoned.

At the opera tonight Col. Roosevelt enjoyed a repetition of the ovation which he received at the comedie francaise Thursday night. The House was crowded with a brilliant audience, including many Americans. The opera was Samson and Delilah."

Col. and Mrs. Roosevelt dined at the military club as the guests of General Brugere and the officers of the Rochambeau mission.

STOLEN FROM EARL WILSON.

Dying Midshipman Robbed in the Hospital—Investigation.

Annapolis, Md., April 25.—It became known in Annapolis tonight that the handsome class ring bearing the crest motto and numerals of his class which had been presented to him as a token of admiration by his fellows, was stolen from the late Midshipman Earl D. Wilson while he lay dying in the naval hospital, following fatal injuries received in a football game.

The affair is being investigated by the naval authorities, but details are withheld. At the naval hospital tonight the only information obtainable was that "Unfortunately there is some truth in the story." It is known that most of the employes about the hospital have been restricted pending the outcome of the investigation. Midshipman Wilson's watch also was stolen.

Washington, April 25.—The argument of the controversy between the commonwealth of Virginia and the State of West Virginia over the proportion of the mother States date, which West Virginia should bear, was today set by the Supreme Court of the United States for October 11th. Counsel for West Virginia asked the court last Monday to set the case for argument this Spring. Counsel for Virginia opposed an early hearing.

WHITE WITH SNOW.

Asheville, N. C., April 25.—The mountains hereabouts are white with snow. During the day intermittent flurries of snow have featured the weather and it is snowing tonight in good fashion. Fear is entertained that the fruit crop, so far very little injured by the cold, will be greatly damaged tonight.

REALM OF SPORTS

BASE BALL — RACING — THE RING

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

New York, April 25.—In a game marked by exceptionally brilliant fielding, the New York National today defeated Brooklyn 3 to 1.

Brooklyn .....000 000 010—1 7 1
New York .....000 000 21x—3 8 1

Rucker and Bergen; Wiltse and Myers.

Cincinnati, April 25.—Failure of Cincinnati's pitchers to find the plate in the early innings were largely responsible for a St. Louis victory today.

St. Louis .....204 000 200—8 6 0
Cincinnati .....000 002 100—3 7 3

Bachman and Bresnahan; Spade, Coveleskie, Gaspar and McLean.

Philadelphia, April 25.—Boston and Philadelphia played a tie game of nine innings today, which was stopped by darkness, the scoring being 5 to 5. It rained almost continuously from the second inning. The game was played in mud and was largely a farce.

Boston .....100 001 210—5 11 2
Philadelphia ...100 010 002—5 10 0

Brown, Mattern and Graham; Moren, Shettler and Dooin.

At Chicago-Pittsburg, wet grounds.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Washington, April 25.—New York bunched hits with Washington errors in the first inning and won out. Sensational plays were made by Cree, LaPorte and Elberfeld.

Washington ....002 000 000—2 6 3
New York .....401 000 000—5 8 0

Oberlin and Street; Warhop, Quinn and Sweeney.

Boston, April 25.—A series of misplays by Boston and two singles by Philadelphia gave the latter enough runs to win, four to two. A feature was Lewis' batting.

Philadelphia ....000 130 000—4 4 0
Boston .....200 000 000—2 12 2

Atkins and Thomas; Wood, Hall and Carrigan.

Cleveland, April 25.—Chicago defeated Cleveland 2 to 0 today, Berger being outpitched by Smith. Cleveland made only one hit off Smith after the first inning. Gandil's batting was the relieving feature of the contest.

Cleveland .....000 000 000—0 3 1
Chicago .....000 000 110—2 9 1

Berger and Easterly; Smith any Payne.

St. Louis, April 25.—A hit batsman, Bush's error, a passed ball and a sacrifice fly gave St. Louis the winning run over Detroit in the 12th inning today. The field was muddy with the temperature near freezing. Both teams played a ragged game. A liner from Hartsell's bat in the nine broke first-baseman T. Jones' nose and he was carried from the field.

Detroit .....000 013 010 000—5 8 4
St. Louis ...020 000 003 001—6 10 6

Bailey, Waddill and Stephens; Willett, Pernell and Stanage.

Southern games: All postponed, cold.

OTHER GAMES.

South Atlantic League.

At Augusta 3; Jacksonville 2.
At Savannah 3; Columbia 9.
At Columbus 1; Macon 2; (10 innings.

Virginia League.

At Lynchburg-Norfolk, rain.
At Danville-Roanoke, rain.
At Portsmouth 4; Richmond, 2.

College Games.

At Macon: Mercer 8; Auburn 2.

WEATHER STOPS BASEBALL.

Prevented All Southern League Games Yesterday—A Cold Wave.

Atlanta, Ga., April 25.—For the first time in the history of the league, almost mid-Winter weather prevented all Southern League games today. The cold wave extended as far south as Mobile, where the Mobile-New Orleans game was called off on account of the cold. At Montgomery the game with Birmingham and at Memphis, the game with Atlanta, were postponed on account o fthe cold, while a wintry rain prevented the Nashville-Chattanooga game at Nashville.

Double-headers will be played at Montgomery and Mobile tomorrow if the weather permits.

PRIZE FIGHTER ARRESTED.

O'Brien Charged With Manslaughter. Landy's Death.

Brocton, Mass., April 25.—Accused of manslaughter in causing the death of Max Landy, of Boston, former National amateur bantam weight champion, who was his opponent in a bout here last Friday night, Joe O'Brien, of Cambridge, was arrested today. Landy died Friday night of strangulation resulting from a cerebral hemorrhage which the police say was caused by a blow received in his bout with O'Brien.

WHITEVILLE-BOARDMAN.

Situation Between Rival Baseball Teams is Discussed.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Whiteville, N. C., April 25.—In the Morning Star of April 17th, your correspondent said in substance, that judging from the record made by Whiteville last year as a winning ball team, it appeared as if no one cared to play them this year. On Wednesday, following this article, the management of the Whiteville baseball team received a challenge from Boardman, inviting them to come up and give them a game on their diamond, and asked on what terms would they come. This challenge was answered Friday, and on Saturday an article appeared in The Star from the Boardman correspondent, saying they would like to hear from Whiteville or some other fast team. These are facts alone, and if the Boardman team will come up to Whiteville's terms, we assure them that Whiteville will interest them in a game of baseball.

JEFFRIES WORKING HARD.

Training Will be Regulated With Greater System.

Ben Lomond, Cal., April 25.—Following the suggestion of Joe Choynski, the new physical director at Camp Rowardennan, J. J. Jeffries today forsook the usual training schedule. If he can be prevailed on to accept the advice of his handlers, it will be several days before the gymnasium and the handball court sees him again.

Jeffries has been annoyed during the last few days by a skin eruption on the back, a condition diagnosed by Choynski as a serious disorder of the blood. It is the trainer's opinion that Jeffries has been working too hard since he went into training and from now on, the work will be regulated with greater system.

Accompanied by Sam Berger, his manager, Farmer Burns, and a party of friends, Jeffries took an automobile trip to Santa Cruz, where the former champion had a dip in the surf and enjoyed a hot salt water tub bath.

TUBERCULOSIS CAMPAIGN.

Exhibit Moves Over From Greensboro Raleigh—The Work.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., April 25.—Ninety-eight boxes and crates, trunks and bundles made up a big carload of freight which came in Saturday from Greensboro. This freight shipment tarnsfers the "storm center" of the tuberculosis campaign to central North Carolina.

En route this car has been one among many, but it is truly the only one of its kind in the midst of hundreds of like appearance, for this particular car carried the exhibits, printed supplies, correspondence files and office equipment of the American Tuberculosis Exhibition, which will be shown in this city for the benefit of both this community and the entire State. Over in Greensboro this exmerely an "exhibit," but a "campaign" as well, with movable headquarters. In fact, about the biggest feature of this educational campaign enterprise is the monthly moving of the entire plant. A hustling office business must be brought to an abrupt end, everything must be packed and shipped. Then a new office must be established with new office workers, and with radically different surroundings and facilities, and all the while the continuous State campaign which is a part of the work must be kept going with but a brief interruption during the period the freight is actually in transit. Then an entirely new local combination of committees and workers must be inaugurated and pushed to a finish in a few brief weeks. Then it all begins over again in a new city or even in a new State. Some two dozen times this programme has been carried out in the chief cities of the three North American countries.

KNIGHT'S FIRST STATEMENT.

Accused of Being Responsible for Big Cotton Failure.

Decatur, Ala., April 25.—John W. Knight, senior member of the cotton firm of Knight, Yancey & Company, which last week failed for approximately $6,000,000, tonight gave out a brief statement, his first public utterance since the institution of the bankruptcy proceedings in which he practically absolved from responsibility for the failure other members.

Knight has been accused openly by partners in the business of being responsible for the falure.

Mr. Knight announced that later he would have something "more interesting" to say.

"At the request of Mr. W. D. Nesbitt, of Birmingham, Mr. W. J. Yancey, of Memphis, Mr. R. H. Nesbitt, of Spartanburg, S. C., the non-resident partners of Knight, Yancey & Company, I make the following statement:

"Prior to the failure of Knight, Yancey & Co., my non-resident co-partners did not participate actively in the conduct of the firm's affairs and so far as I know had no knowledge of the conditions of the business since the Summer of 1909 and prior to the failure."

NO MEET IN RICHMOND.

Society of the Army of the Potomac —Attacks on Lee.

Richmond, Va., April 25.—Gov. Mann is in receipt of a letter from General Horatio King, president of the Society of the Army of the Potomac, which conveys the information that the society named will not hold the meeting in Richmond that it proposed to hold here this year. It is understood that this is so because of the attacks made by camps of the Grand Army of the Republic on the placing of the statue of Gen. Robert E. Lee in the Hall of Fame at Washington. It is believed that the officers of the society rightly or wrongly are afraid that some feeling has been aroused in the South because of the hostile attitude of certain Grand Army veterasn toward the Lee statue. The meeting, it is announced will be held at Sharpsburg, Md., near the battlefield of Antietam.

FIRE AT WILLISTON, S. C.

Three Residences Destroyed and Loss Will Not be Heavy.

Williston, S. C., April 25.—Fire which for a time threatened the business section of this town, was under control at 2 o'clock this afternoon before apparatus from Aiken and other points arrived. Three residences were destroyed and the loss will not be heavy.

Washington, April 25.—Rear Admiral James D. Adams, commandant of the Charleston, S. C., navy yard, will be retired May 4th next on account of age and probably will be succeeded as commandant by Captain C. E. Fox, who has been captain of the yard.

STRAWBERRY MOVEMENT.

Eighteen Cars Yesterday, 59 on Sunday—Prices Somewhat Better.

According to the telegraphic bulletins of Business Agent H. T. Bauman, of the E. C. T. & F. G. Association, the strawberry movement through South Rocky Mount yesterday amounted to 18 cars and on Sunday 59 cars A long distance telephone message last night from Chadbourn stated that between 60 and 70 cars would leave there during the night and that 85 cars were being iced for today's shipments. The prices there have been much better, sales being reported on the platform yesterday as averaging from $2.25 to $3.50 per crate with some very fine berries going as high as $4.25 per crate. Bad weather yesterday at Chadbourn, rain having continued from 10 A. M. to 3:30 P. M., served to demoralize conditions but the heaviest movement of the season is expected today.

The distribution yesterday was as follows: Boston 5, New York 3, Oneonto, Elmira, Olean, Schenectady, Scranton, Worcester, Pittsburg, Philadelphia, Buffalo and Providence one each. Sunday's distribution was as follows: Potomac yards for diversion 15, Boston 11, New York 5, Pittsburg 4, Syracuse 3, Utica, Rochester, Worcester 2 each and one each to Philadelphia, Bridgeport, Albany, Newark, Montreal, Providence, Springfield, Waterbury, New Haven, Scranton, Patterson, New Bedford, Cleveland, Erie, Ithaca, Buffalo, Watertown and Hartford.

CITY ENGINEER MATTER.

Ordinance Now Being Drafted by the City Attorney.

Mayor Walter G. MacRae stated yesterday that the proposed ordinance creating the city engineering department with a definition of the duties of the engineer is now being drafted by City Attorney Herbert McClammy. The Mayor, who is himself one of the best known and most experienced engineers in the State, has given the City Attorney a rough draft embodying his ideas of an ordinance covering the matter. It is expected that a meeting of the Board of Aldermen will be called within the next few days to take action on the ordinance. According to the ideas of members of the Board of Audit and Finance, as expressed at the last meeting in refusing to concur with the Water and Sewerage Commission in letting the contract for surveys for the proposed sewerage system to Hazelhurst & Anderson, the sewerage work should be done by the salaried city engineer. It was pointed out yesterday by persons in no wise connected with the city government that it would be like throwing away money to employ a salaried city engineer and then employ other engineers to do the work in connection with the construction of a sewerage system. They say that this should be a part of the duty of the city engineer.

BRITISH VESSEL OVERDUE.

Schooner Coming From Barbadoes With Molasses for This Port.

The British schooner Lavengro, bound from Barbadoes to Wilmington, with cargo of molasses for the C. C. Covington Company, is about ten days overdue and has not been reported since she left the port of clearance. The schooner has the largest consignment of molasses ever ordered by a Wilmington firm. The Covington Company has received a number of cargoes of the same product from the West Indies during the past few years.

Other schooners bound to Wilmington at present are the Annie F. Kimball, from Baltimore; Joel Cook and William Thomas Moore, from New York. The British steamer Ella, which sailed from Bremen April 16th, is also bound here.

FUNERAL OF CAPT. M'DOUGALL.

Sad Services Held From St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church Sunday.

Many relatives and friends assembled at St. Andrew's Presbyterian church at 5 o'clock Sunday afternoon to attend the funeral of the late Captain James McDougall, whose death occurred at the James Walker Memorial Hospital Saturday morning. The services were conducted by Rev. Dr. A. D. McClure, pastor of the church, and were very impressive. Many beautiful flowers were laid upon the newly made mound in Oakdale cemetery, where the interment took place. The pall-bearers were: Honorary, Messrs. James Sprunt and J. C. Stewart; active, Col. T. C. James and Messrs. W. H. Sprunt, James Sharrock, B. A. Merritt, W. K. Walker and John A. Applewhite.

REAPING BENEFIT

From the Experience of Wilmington People.

We are fortunate indeed to be able to profit by the experience of our neighbors. The public utterances of Wilmington residents on the following subject will interest and benefit thousands of our readers. Read this statement. No better proof can be had.

Mrs. J. D. Sellars, 706 S. Second St., Wilmington, N. C., says: "I am feeling like a different person since using Doan's Kidney Pills. Some time ago I procured a box of this remedy from Robert R. Bellamy's drug store, as it was highly recommended for kidney trouble from which I had been suffering for a long time. My back ached constantly my eyes pained me and when lying down, dark spots floated before my eyes. My kidneys were weak and I had a constant desire to pass the secretions. One box of Doan's Kidney Pills corrected all these annoyances and built up my general health."

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Home From Charlottesville.

Friends of young Mr. Julian LeGrand, who has been in school at Charlottesville, Va., will regret to know that he is quite ill in the James Walker Memorial Hospital in this city to which he was brought yesterday morning by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Spencer LeGrand, who went for him Friday evening. Some time ago young Mr. LeGrand was struck in the abdomen by a ball while at play on the grounds of the school at which he was a student and later developed fever. Just what is the trouble has not been diagnosed but hundreds of friends of the young man and of the family hope and pray for his early recovery. The patient was brought to Wilmington in Supt. Newell's private car and is reported to have stood the trip very well indeed.

Funeral of Infant Son.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Hart deeply sympathize with them in the death of their three-months-old son, Carl Poivogt Hart, which occurred Sunday afternoon at 1 o'clock at the family residence, No. 518 Queen street. The funeral service was held from the late residence yesterday afternoon, conducted by Rev. Thos. P. Noe, rector of the Church of the Good Shepherd. The interment was in Bellevue cemetery.

S. S. S. CURES RHEUMATISM

The cause of Rheumatism is an excess of uric acid in the blood. The uratic impurity gets into the circulation by absorption, usually because of constipation, weak kidneys, and other systemic irregularities. Then the blood becomes weak and sour and irritating urate particles are formed in this vital fluid. When in this impure condition the blood can not furnish the necessary amount of nourishment to the different muscles, tendons, nerves and ligaments of the body. Instead it constantly steeps them in the briny acrid matter, and the gritty, urate particles collect in the joints, which causes the pains, aches and soreness of Rheumatism. Liniments, plasters, etc. may relieve the acute pain of an attack of Rheumatism, but such treatment does not reach the blood and therefore can have no permanent good effect. There is but one way to cure Rheumatism and that is to purify the blood of the acid poison. S. S. S. goes into the circulation and attacks the disease at its head. It removes the cause for the reason that it is the greatest of all blood purifiers. It filters out every trace of the sour, inflammatory matter, cools the acid-heated circulation, adds richness and nourishment to the blood and permanently cures Rheumatism. S. S. S. does not patch up, it cures permanently. S. S. S. is especially valuable as a remedy for Rheumatism because it does not contain a particle of harmful mineral in any form. It is purely vegetable, a fine tonic as well as blood purifier. Book on Rheumatism sent free to all who write. THE SWIFT SPECIFIC CO., ATLANTA, GA.

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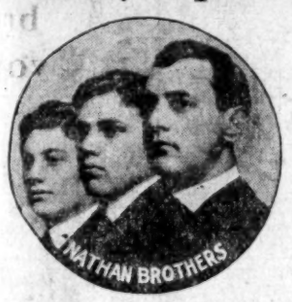

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SOUTHERN MILL MEN PROTEST

Government Aiding One Clique That is Fighting Another in the Bull Pool Investigation Being Held in New York.

(Special to New York Journal of Commerce.)

Charlotte, N. C., April 20.—Investigation started by government into alleged bull pool has caused storm of protest from Southern mill men, who consider action of Attorney General as unwarranted and as showing possible bias in favor of the market's depression. The general opinion openly expressed is that the government has stepped in to aid one clique which is fighting another in a dilemma of its own making. Lewis W. Parker, president of the American Cotton Manufacturers' Association, said:

"I think it unfortunate that the government should intervene in an effort to protect those who have sold beyond their possession. It is also unfortunate that Mr. Wickersham should be the law partner of Mr. H. W. Taft, attorney for the Cotton Exchange, and that Mr. Taft is brother of the President. It has come to a pretty pass in the government when it is no crime for a set of men to sell what they do not possess, but becomes a crime for others who are interested in the maintenance of prices of the raw material to act together so as to compel those who have sold to deliver what they have sold. Southern mills do not wish to see a decline in price of cotton and the stand of the government is unfair. Apparently it originated in Wall street on the part of bears who have been selling to keep the market down, and who, by this investigation, wish to force Messrs. Hayne, Brown and others to show their hands. If action of the grand jury looks toward investigation of purpose of certain Southern mills to take up cotton in New York, I can only say that I have purchased contracts on the New York Exchange and have arranged to accept cotton on these contracts. The New York Exchange has always claimed that its contracts represented actual cotton. Southern mills have simply found it to their advantage to buy these contracts and expect their cotton, and the Exchange owes it to itself to see that the cotton is delivered."

Captain E. A. Smith, of Greenville, S. C., said: "I understand that members of the New York Exchange, when they testified before the Congressional committee, said that all sales on the exchange were to be for delivery of actual cotton. Some time ago the New York Exchange depressed the price of contracts in New York far below parity with the value of spots in the South, and mills needing cotton felt they could buy these contracts cheaper than they could buy spots in the South. One object was to get cheap cotton, another was to stimulate price of cotton goods. It appears that some dealers who sold what they did not have are appealing to the government for relief from filling contracts with the mills."

J. M. Greer, of Easter Mills, said: "I think it outrageous that the government should go in league with the bears or with either side for that."

A conference of manufacturers of the Greenville, S. C., section was held, and while no statement was made, the attitude of the government was generally considered unwarranted.

Some of the local mill men are reticent about talking before they understand the situation more fully, but many agree with Mr. Parker in censuring the government for taking sides with the bears.

R. M. Miller, Jr., ex-president of the American Cotton Manufacturers' Association and president of the North Carolina Association, made this statement for The Journal of Commerce this afternoon:

"I most heartily concur with the views expressed by President Parker, and equally as heartily disagree with the apparently premature and unfortunate action of the Attorney General. To my mind the question is not one of speculation, but a great commercial principle is involved, viz: The legitimate use of an exchange for the buying and selling of a commodity. In this particular case it looks to the layman as if some of the 'bears' on cotton in New York have sold themselves into a hole, and now, like the traditional pig, are 'squealing' because they cannot get out. It will be recalled by all interested that only a few months ago, during the hearing in Washington on the investigation of the methods of the New York Cotton Exchange, every member at that exchange in his testimony under oath swore that the New York Exchange was the legitimate exchange for the buying and selling of actual cotton. Now, as I understand the present situation, it is that a number of cotton manufacturers and their associates have bought contracts on the exchange because at this time it was cheaper than they could buy them in the South, and will demand delivery of actual cotton for actual consumption, and will not accept 'chalk' cotton of the exchange. The bear element sold this cotton with the hope of gaining, but it appears now that they cannot deliver, except at a loss, and so they have appealed to the United States to relieve them of a bona fide contract. If they can do this act and accomplish their purpose, then the use of the exchange is not legitimate.

"I do not take issue in the matter with the speculator or anti-speculator. As I understand the present proposition it is not a matter of present speculation on the part of buyers of cotton, but, to the contrary, it was bought, because it was cheaper than it could be bought elsewhere, and for the purpose of actual consumption. This being true their contention is absolutely right to demand what they have bought and no law on earth should be invoked to deprive them of their rights. The American public despises a squealer or a quitter, but are proud of a brave man who always believes in fair play and common honor and justice."

ANTI-HAT CRUSADE.

Movement Stated by Charlotte Methodists is Spreading.

(Charlotte Observer.)

The anti-hat crusade or hats-off-ladies propaganda inaugurated last Sunday by Rev. Dr. Gilbert T. Rowe pastor of Tryon Street Methodist church, seems to be bearing fruit, for Rev. Dr. E. E. Bomar, pastor of Pritchard Memorial Baptist church, made a similar request of his congregation at the morning service yesterday and doubtless other will follow. About 75 per cent. of the ladies at Tryon Street church yesterday morning were hatless or so nearly so as to be regarded as minus that important article of feminine wear. Those who are interested in the success of the movement are hopeful of having 90 per cent. of the ladies at church next Sunday bareheaded and fully 99 per cent. the succeeding Sunday and ever thereafter. One woman out of every hundred will be looked for to wear her hat for an absolutely bareheaded congregation would be too much to expect or hope for in this imperfect world.

In the meantime, it has been suggested that the board of stewards of Tryon Street church, and the board of Deacons of Pritchard Memorial church, provide rooms near the doors so that the ladies on a Sunday morning, after removing their hats during service, may put them back on their heads straight before they essay their journey home on the street. "It is just impossible for me to get my hat on right," declared a Charlotte lady in a troubled tone yesterday, "after I have had it off for an hour or so unless I have a mirror to look in. And a big hat on crooked is just about the most provoking and unreligious thing in the world, particularly on a Sunday." And with this declaration she looked at the newspaper man for support. Not having ever had to undergo the torture, of course, he knew nothing about it, and could only smile, which abruptly terminated the conversation. However that may be, the suggestion of the hat room is not a bad one and should be considered.

And just here may enter another complication. The abolition of millinery monstrosities (honest, that's what some of them are) from the churches will unquestionably have the effect in a measure of diverting attention from them and in time of reducing their size. This will have a tendency of hurting the business and it would not be surprising to learn that the millinery establishments of the city had taken up arms against this sea of troubles in the hope of skotching the propaganda.

In the meantime, the crusade will be watched with the greatest interest. The slogan might be "Sic semper tyrannis" or some such war-cry as that.

WATKINS TRIAL IN AUGUST.

Judge Justice Grants Request of the State—Slayer of Bunting.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Asheville, N. C., April 25.—Case against F. C. Watkins, at Black Mountain constable, charged with killing of John Hill Bunting at Hotel Gladstone last August, was today, upon motion of the prosecution, continued until the August term of Superior court upon the ground that W. F. Bayle, Mrs. Linville, the housekeeper of the hotel, and Clem Jones, an eye witness, could not be here at this time.

Locke Craig, for the defense, resisted the motion, declaring that Clem Jones was the only important witness absent and that the defense could show that Clem never intended to attend the trial, as he had committed a crime and did not want to come back. In granting continuance Judge Justice took the ground that since he had continued the case from the February term at the instance of the defense, the State should also be granted its request on practically similar grounds.

EXCITEMENT AT NEWBERN.

Horse Crashed Through Drug Store Window—Court Delayed.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Newbern, N. C., April 25.—A horse attached to a dray of the Butler Blades Hardware Co., became frightened at the Norfolk & Southern freight depot this afternoon and only stopped after he had run through one of the plate glass front windows of the F. S. Duffy Drug Co., at corner of Middle and South Front streets. No one was hurt, but the horse was badly cut up and the large plate glass of the drug company completely demolished.

On account of the absence of Judge H. G. Connor, the Federal Court did not open this morning. Judge Connor and the other court officers will arrive in the morning and court will open at 10 A. M. All witnesses for the Carraway trial have been summoned to appear Wednesday.

FIGHT OF TELEGRAPHERS.

Two More Railroads Appeal to Mediators to Settle Differences.

Washington, April 25.—Two or more railroads and their telegraphers have appealed to Dr. Charles P. Neill, Commissioner of Labor, and chairman Knapp, of the Interstate Commerce Commission, the mediators under the Erdman Act, to interpose in an effort to settle their differences. The roads involved are the Seaboard Air Line and the Southern Pacific and the controversies relate to wages and working conditions. It is expected that the mediators will take up the matter shortly.

Worse Than Bullets.

Bullets have often caused less suffering to soldiers than the eczema L. W. Harriman, Burlington, Me., got in the army, and suffered with forty years. "But Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured me when all else failed,' he writes. Greatest healer of sores' ulcers, boils, burns, cuts, wounds, bruises and piles. 25c at Robert R. Bellamy's.

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SUIT AGAINST D. A. R.

Miss Gerald to Recover Salary—Dismissed by Mrs. Scott.

Washington, April 25.—The right of the executive head of the Daughters of the American Revolution to dismiss an employe of the organization which has been the bone of much contention within the society, was taken into the District of Columbia courts today.

Miss Agnes Gerald, a clerk in Continental Hall, the National headquarters of the organization, who was dismissed by Mrs. Matthew T. Scott, the President General for alleged insubordination, today entered suit for $130 representing her salary for the months of April and March.

Her services were terminated by Mrs. Scott at the end of February, but as she did not recognize the right of the President General to dismiss her she continued at her post until she was deposed by a resolution passed by the board of management of the organization on April 16th.

She alleges she has not been paid since her dismissal by the President General and the legality of Mrs. Scott's action in discontinuing her services is the point at issue and of absorbing interest to the members of the society.

EVANS DIES IN WEST.

Former President of Richmond Printers' Union—Well Known.

Washington, April 25.—A telegram in Washington today notified friends of the death of Andrew Runyan Evans, at Colorado Springs, this morning. Mr. Evans was 32 years old and a native of Virginia.

Before coming to Washington he was president of the Richmond (Va.) Printers' Union, which he represented at International conventions. He was active in union work here and was one of the most popular members of the craft in Washington.

Up to the time of his last illness Mr. Evans was employed on the Washington Times, and January 12th last left for the West in the hope of regaining his health. With his wife he was graduated in law last June from the Washington College of Law. Besides his wife an infant daughter and two sisters survive. No arrangements for the funeral have yet been made.

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Whose banquet shocked the nostril and the eye;
Then spoke a voice, "Behold the source of lard!"
I fled, and saw a field that seemed at first
One glistening mass of roses pure and white,
With dewy buds 'mid dark green foliage nursed;
And, as I lingered o'er the lovely sight,
The summer breeze, that cooled that Southern scene,
Whispered, "Behold the source of COTTOLENE!"

HOW TO CURE RHEUMATISM.

It Is an Internal Disease and Requires an Internal Remedy.

The cause of rheumatism and kindred diseases is an excess of uric acid in the blood. To cure this terrible disease this acid must be expelled and the system so regulated that no more acid will be formed in excessive quantities. Rheumatism is an internal disease and requires an internal remedy. Rubbing with oils and liniments will not cure, affords only temporary relief at best, and allows the malady to get a firmer hold on you. Liniments may ease the pain, but they will no more cure rheumatism than paint will change the fibre of rotten wood.

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*Daily. a via Petersburg and N. & W. Ry.

48	42-86	48-80			80-49	83-41	49
*8 30am	*7 00pm	*8 30am	Lv.	WILMINGTON Ar.	6 15pm	9 45am	6 15pm
11 37am	10 05pm	11 37am	Ar.	Goldsboro Lv.	2 59pm	6 40am	2 50pm
12 38pm	11 01pm	12 38pm	Ar.	Wilson Lv.	1 52pm	5 49am	1 52pm
1 18pm	11 45pm	1 18pm	Ar.	Rocky Mount Lv.	12 40pm	5 05am	12 40pm
5 50pm	*8 35am		Ar.	Norfolk Lv.		*7 40pm	*8 15am
	2 08pm	4 55pm	Ar.	Weldon Lv.	11 30am	3 48pm	
	3 35am	7 05pm	Ar.	Petersburg Lv.	9 18am	1 59pm	
	4 40am	8 00pm	Ar.	Richmond Lv.	8 15am	1 20pm	
	8 00am	11 50pm	Ar.	Washington Lv.	4 20am	10 00pm	
	9 16am	1 20am	Ar.	Baltimore Lv.	2 46am	8 20pm	
	11 35am	3 40am	Ar.	West Philadelphia Lv.	12 49am	5 44pm	
	2 00pm	6 30am	Ar.	NEW YORK Lv.	*9 25pm	*3 25pm	

42-86 and 83-41 carries Pullman buffet sleeping car between Wilmington and Washington connecting with New York trains.
48 and 49 carries Pullman Buffet parlor cars between Wilmington and Norfolk connecting at Rocky Mount with through New York trains.

42-85	55-80	51-83	42-85 via Wilson. *Daily		86-50	80-54	
*7 00pm	*3 15pm	*5 20am	Lv.	WILMINGTON Ar.	11 59pm	1 40pm	
4 05am	7 25pm	9 05am	Ar.	Florence Lv.	8 03pm	9 30am	
7 20am	11 20pm	1 05pm	Ar.	Charleston Lv.	4 25pm	5 10am	
10 10am	2 40am	5 55pm	Ar.	Savannah Lv.	11 55am	12 10am	
	11 55am	2 20am	Ar.	Albany Lv.	1 25am	1 55pm	
5 20pm	9 40am	1 45am	Ar.	Thomasville Lv.	2 05am	2 05pm	
	5 59pm	8 50am	Ar.	Montgomery Lv.	6 30pm	6 05am	
2 35pm	7 55am	8 15pm	Ar.	JACKSONVILLE Lv.	7 00am	7 45pm	
6 10pm	2 05pm	2 10am	Ar.	Sanford, Fla. Lv.	2 10am	2 55pm	
10 25pm	7 00pm	7 00am	Ar.	TAMPA Lv.	9 00pm	10 30am	
	9 10pm		Ar.	ST. PETERSBURG Lv.		6 30am	
	11 15pm	1 05pm	Ar.	FORT MYERS Lv.	*3 00	*6 00am	

55-80, 42-85 and 86-50 Pullman service. 51-83 and 80-54 Pullman service south of Florence.

55	51-35	*Daily.		22-50	54
*3 15pm	*5 20am	Lv.	WILMINGTON Ar.	11 59pm	1 40pm
7 25pm	9 05am	Ar.	Florence Lv.	8 03pm	9 30am
9 20pm	11 25am	Ar.	Sumter Lv.	5 50pm	7 30am
11 30pm	12 55pm	Ar.	COLUMBIA Lv.	4 10pm	*5 45am
	3 00pm	Ar.	AUGUSTA Lv.	2 45pm	
	8 20pm	Ar.	ATLANTA Lv.	7 30am	
	10 15pm	Ar.	Macon Lv.	8 55am	
	1 08am	Ar.	Chattanooga Lv.	3 00am	
	6 35am	Ar.	Nashville Lv.	9 30pm	
	3 20pm	Ar.	Memphis Lv.	1 00pm	
	1 00pm	Ar.	Louisville Lv.	2 45pm	
	4 30pm	Ar.	CINCINNATI Lv.	*10 55am	

53	*Daily.		52
*8 40am	Lv.	WILMINGTON Ar.	8 05pm
11 45am	Ar.	Fayetteville Lv.	4 50pm
12 10pm	Lv.	Fayetteville Ar.	4 45pm
1 40pm	Ar.	Sanford, N. C. Lv.	*3 30pm

62 pm	64 am	! Daily except Sunday.	65 pm	63 pm
3 25	5 50	Lv. WILMINGTON Ar.	6 50	12 50
5 17	7 48	Ar. Jacksonville, N. C. Lv.	4 51	10 55
6 44	9 10	Ar. Nor & Sou. Jct. Lv.	3 35	9 35
6 50	9 15	Ar. NEWBERN Lv.	3 30	9 30
pm	am		pm	am

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TO WILMINGTON.

WEEK DAYS—Leave Lumina at 7:45, 9:15 and 10:45 A. M., 12:15, 1:45, 3:45, 5:15, 7:55 and 9:15 P. M.

SUNDAYS—Leave Lumina at 9:45, 10:45 A. M., 12:15, 1:45, 3:15, 3:45, 4:15, 4:45, 5:15, 5:45, 6:25, 6:50, 7:15 and 9:15 P. M.

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WEEK DAYS—Leave Front and Princess streets at 6:50, 8:00, 8:30, 10:00, 11:30 A. M. 1:00, 3:00, 4:30, *6:10, 7:20, 8:30, 10:00 and 11:00 P. M.

*6:10 trip goes over to beach station No. 1.

SUNDAYS—Leave Front and Princess streets at 8:30, 10:00, 11:30 A. M., 1:00, 2:30, 3:00, 3:30, 4:00, 4:30, 5:00, 5:30, 6:10, 7:10, 8:30, 10:00 and 11:00 P. M.

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SUNDAYS—Leave Wrightsville at 9:55, 10:55 A. M., 12:25, 1:55, 3:25, 3:55, 4:25, 4:55, 5:25, 5:55, 6:35, 7:00, 8:00, 9:25, 10:25 and 11:25 P. M.

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Lv. Lynchburg	2:25 p m	2:30 a m
Ar. Cincinnati	7:30 a m	6:25 p m
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Tuesday, April 26th, 1910.

THE OLD TIMES; THE GOOD TIMES.

Of course, old things are best! They always were, and always will be. Scarcely is there anyone so young that he cannot regret the old times. Old tunes, old songs, old wines, old friends have no monopoly of the improvement that comes with age. And despite the fact that it is the deterioration of age itself that douses the new while magnifying the old, you cannot convince yourself—much less anyone else—that the proposition is not really true. Even the college boys have it, harking back with streaming eyes and pessimistic yearning to times three or four years agone. Weeps this week's University Tar Heel:

"One of the most noticeable features of campus life for the past two weeks has been a marvelous exhibition of senior singing. Every afternoon about seven or seven-thirty senior singing begins. Not a sound breaks the soft twilight of the falling shades of night. Of course not! There are no seniors on the scene to make a sound. The benches are there. The Davie Poplar is there. The shades of past seniors are there. But the seniors of today are at the Pickwick. There are a few of the class of nineteen ten who can carry a tune, at least. There are a good many who can sing some. There is not a man in the class who cannot lend his approving presence. Let's get right. No more funeral silence around the old poplar at the hour for senior singing."

Alas! these degenerate times, when there are no more larks among ye merrie seniors, no more nightingales, rather, to sing the prosy sun to-rest for nights of poesy! Gone are they and their sweet minstrelsy. Ah, the days when the Senior world, even, was young! When hopes winged high, and happy hearts swelled into song, as confident of tune as triumphant in joy. Gone are the times and the Seniors. No longer do they trill under the popular. Vanished are the simple pleasures of a simpler day. They are at the Pickwick! It must be a club. It smells of stale tobacco, spilled ale. Life there is doubtless keener than wholesome. It is an atmosphere of acid philosophy and acrid jest. Its boisterousness is that of the tavern, instead of the open vault of the sky! Its merriment penned, housed, confiner, unnatural, compared with that which used on a time to ascend through the leaves where once the Seniors sat and sang—whether they could sing or not!

Ah, dear, the "Auld Lang Syne"! In other words, "Oh, You Senior Singers!"

The Asheville Gazette-News reports that some of its Republican friends think that it was unladylike for it to charge the Waynesville Enterprise with theft. It is clear that the once stalwart and rank files of the West are becoming pampered, effeminate, and impotent.

It would have been interesting had that college correspondent included in his list of test questions: "What gentleman of German descent is popular in Pittsburg?" We may be mistaken, but we believe that ninety-nine and nine tenths per cent of the answers would have been safe hits.

The Roosevelt Sunday in Paris was the most remarkable day that has yet marked the return to civilization—this because the Roosevelts did nothing remarkable.

We wonder if the Heyburn brand of negrophiles will have the nerve to charge cruelty in the case of those negroes who have been "run out" of Texas.

Cowles' turning down of Brown as collector is another indication that the next delegation in Congress is to be solidly Democratic.

LEGISLATIVE LOAFING.

It is in keeping with the nervous American habit that the processes of legislation should betray the same disinclination to do that today which may be put off till tomorrow that characterizes the average individual who has in any sense the choice of when he will do his work. Most work in this country that is worth doing is done at high pressure and at incredible speed in the actual performance by reason of a general habit of procrastination. With the necessity ahead, the magnificence with which the American comes in on schedule time is truly admirable. He arrives panting and "all in". A lack of system is something that here is shared with those other countries of enervating climate and easy conscience; the difference is that the American has the nerve to "take it out of his own hide", while the Mexican, the Italian, or the Russian frequently never arrives for the simple reason that he concludes it is too late to start.

As to legislation, this dilatory habit is there perhaps more pronounced than elsewhere. Congress is the most conspicuous example. It starts is sessions with an accumulation of work which constant labor would do well to half dispose of. It dawdles, and orates, and considers. It hems and haws, and lazes, and postpones. It begins to look as though the designated agency of the people were going to twiddle its thumbs in ultimate idleness. Then on a day the weather begins to get hot. The Senators and Congressmen look at their calendars. Summer is just ahead, and the Fall elections only a little way further off. Things begin to move. Measures that have reposed in committee come forth. Matters that have been enshrouded in talk, get a free path. There is a tremendous bustle, where a day or so before there was profound lethargy. The wheels begin to move. The race against Time is started. The race is generally won, and Time is distanced. Congress adjourns, after many all night sessions, fatigued, but triumphant. Having frittered away months, it has done an awful amount of work in an incredibly short time. It points to results rather than daily averages. The next Congress is time enough to commence to pick flaws and mistakes in this hurry-up method. The point is that there has been legislation. After that, it is up to the departments to make the appropriations and to the courts to say what bills are laws and which are not. We say that Congress is the particular example of this characteristic habit. It is by no means alone in it. Every Legislature, in every State, reflects the same lack of foresight, the same reliance upon an impulse driven by desperate necessity. Work is for those who have it to do; and this, in the case of bodies representing all the people as well as in men representing themselves. It is the glory of the country that such work is as well done as it is; and a field of idle if interesting speculation, as to what might be accomplished if the effort in the stretch were extended proportionately around the track.

Congress has this session been engaged in a masterful species of loafing. Its deeds have been confined to routine. It has looked upon the piled-up mass of the Taft policies with the disgust with which a busy man views the accumulation on his desk during a holiday. There are signs, however, that the time of action is all but arrived. The railroad bill, the postal savings bank measure, other important pieces of legislation are crying for action. There is uneasiness among the men charged with doing things. But Congress is not quite ready. The ball season has opened, and the weather is still pleasant. Such serious minded statesmen as Aldrich and Elkins chafe at the delay, but they must wait. They may fidget, but Congress, like a balking mule, will move when it is ready, and not before.

Just now the Senate is trying desperately to get a vote on the railroad bill. Says the Associated Press:

Saturday afternoon Senator Elkins reported that he had sufficient votes to defeat the Cummins substitute for the Elkins-Crawford provision which the Senators in charge wanted.

"Then let's vote", argued Mr. Aldrich.

"It would not be safe this afternoon", said Mr. Elkins. "Too many Senators are attending the ball game."

"That would affect both sides, wouldn't it?" persisted Mr. Aldrich.

"I don't know about that," replied Mr. Elkins, "It seems to be our fellows who are away."

"Do these baseball games keep on all Summer?" asked Mr. Aldrich, in aggrieved tone. Plainly he did not know. Vice President Sherman or Senator Crane could have answered, but both of them were at the ball grounds. So a newspaper man had to tell him: "Twenty-two out of the next 29 American league games will be played in Washington."

"Humph!" Mr. Aldrich condensed a world of meaning in this comment. Noses then were counted. Mr. Elkins made no attempt to get a vote.

And there you are. Some day, when the team is visiting, when the weather is muggy and life unbearable, the Senate will settle in its seats, spit in its hands, and yell for its work. Legislative chips will fly. There will be a perfect moving picture of indefatiguable industry. And then, after wearing hours, there will come an adjournment for rest and repairs to outlying fences. When the score is cast up, there will be the usual surprise at how much a Congress that spent its time doing nothing has done.

How it will have been, and whom it will have done, is another story.

THE SLEEPING COLLEGE.

In its Sunday issue the Charlotte Observer prints anonymously a long article devoted to the knowledge—ignorance, rather—of State University students concerning public men and measures. The article is well-written and indicates careful and accurate preparation. The method pursued was to take representative classes and submit to them test questions. The results were appalling. Matters that a street gamin could make a stagger at passed over the heads of these students at the leading State institution with the whimpering vagueness of Danny Deever's soul. The result makes a symposium of ignorance that cries aloud to high heaven. Appropriately, the writer starts the ball rolling by taking a crack at the professor of "second English," whoever he may be. A student was making enquiry as to whether Swinburne was still alive. In explanation he said:

"Why, my professor said on second English a while ago that Swinburne was the greatest living poet. I thought he was dead, but I wasn't sure."

Considering the fact that the widely heralded passing of Swinburne left the English speaking world absolutely pitiless, the negligence of a man engaged in the study of English literature in not accumulating the information is as astounding as some of the answers made to further queries among students themselves.

For instance, analysis of the Philadelphia strike brought forth information of this character:

"Gompers in trouble for contempt of court; white slave trade; emigration; strike in Chicago; the ice slide somewhere; strike in Chicago car service, I suppose for higeher wages; meat shops, women and child labor." The last of these answers was given by a man who put himself down as a regular newspaper reader."

As to public men, most of the students queried knew that Kitchin is Governor of North Carolina (though one thought, in spite of the silence, that ex-Governor Glenn was still on the job), but comparatively few could name the Senators; only occasionally was one aware that Melville Fuller is Chief Justice; numbers had never heard of Walter Clark, and on the Ballinger-Pinchot controversy opinion ranged all the way from the statement that "Senator" Ballinger had refused to print forestry reports to the allegation that he had charged "Pinchot with fraud in the government." And one keen student of current events deposed and said that the Senators from North Carolina were Aldrich and Payne!

In all the display of crass ignorance, there was but one rift in the enshrouding blackness: oNbody knew anything about Judge Ben Lindsay. If the students neglect the reading of the daily papers, it seems that they fail likewise to read the muckraking articles in the magazines.

The Observer's correspondent, whose anonymity is, of course, necessary to his health, explains his disclosures by a failure on the part of the student body to read the newspapers. This is no doubt correct, but what is the spirit that permits a modern institution of learning to thus raise up young men to come forth into life as sucklings of the ordinary affairs of government and of life? It used to be the custom to require students, freshmen at any rate, to appear at prayers. Could not the professor in second English be impressed to give at this hour a brief daily resume of what is going on in the country? Could not a certain amount of current history be made a prerequisite to graduation? How would it do to extract the "dope" sheets from the papers until the next day? To think of a crowd of intelligent, manly young fellows with the mould on their backs and hayseed, instead of grape-leaves, in their hair is to weep for higher education. Something ought decidedly be done to increase the batting average of the University against the daily facts which constantly bombard its students, apparently without impression.

The serious thing is that the expose only happened to have been made at the University of North Carolina. It could have been made elsewhere, almost anywhere, with equally telling force. The college student should wake up; and the college faculty arouse to the fact that he has this long time been asleep.

HUGHES AS A JUDGE.

The nomination of Governor Hughes, of New York, to be Associate Justice of the Supreme Court to succeed the late Justice David J. Brewer, will add to the bench a man of whose patriotism the country at large is well convinced, and of whose learning and ability as a jurist there is nowhere a doubt.

In naming him, Mr. Taft, it seems to us, shows strongly his determination to choose only the fittest men for judicial place. Had he permitted anything except this cool consideration to determine his judgment, he would at this time scarcely have chosen the Governor of New York, the apparent trend of whose mind and actions indicates that he will not be inclined to look favorably upon those governmental policies now being put to the test in the country's final tribunal. Clean as he is, the Hughes sympathy is with the corporation as against that middle course which now appears to actuate the government—a course tending to extend the powers of the Federal government over States and corporations alike, upon the assumption that centralization of power is a small price to pay for the bridling of centralized capital. Temperamentally, he is the reverse of Roosevelt and the Roosevelt cult—being cool, analytical, with the pious appreciation of property that distinguishes the typical New Yorker. Only recently his attack upon the income tax amendment showed him to be against the stretching of the Constitution, while being a strict constructionist. The Taft crusade to make the Sherman law omnipotent may well come a cropper when it encounters his reasoning as a member of the highest bench.

Governor Hughes is, strictly speaking, without judicial experience. His life has been that of the counsellor, advocate, and executive. He is brave full of initiative, and, once started, implacable. How these admirable qualities in an executive will merge into the calmer, more thoughtful requirements of a great judge remains to be seen. Politically, Governor Hughes had gone as far as the fates permitted. His calibre is such as to suggest that he is one of the men whom it would be a misfortune for the country to lose. On the Supreme Court there is the opportunity for long service in the application of a just and fearless spirit to questions of ever-increasing complications.

THE NEED AFTER THE EVENT.

"Life is not all beer and skittles," nor does a vote make a reform any more than a swallow makes a summer. It seems that Columbia, S. C., is finding this out in the election to select commissioners in pursuance of the recent change of city government to the commission plan. The Columbia State carries nearly an entire page of appeals to elect the right sort of men to manage the city's affairs, this indicating that there are a number of the wrong sort who desire that privilege even under the commission plan. A typical statement is:

"When one or two men of some standing in the community are devoting themselves to boosting one candidate for commissioner, and one or two other men of some standing are working as vigorously for another single candidate, and neither of the candidates thus boosted has any claim, either by past records or present occupation, to the respect or confidence of discriminating voters, and no right to ask to be entrusted with protecting the interests of the people, the boosting arouses some curiosity. What is the moving spirit? Is it 'purely personal,' or is there a deeper significance? There will be trouble, if any interest seeks to get 'representation' on the board of councilmen."

The commission plan of municipal government has given much satisfaction in a number of places. It is a mistake to suppose, however, that it will do away with municipal politics, or that, without that general interest in city affairs which is now and then aroused to the working of a particular reform, it will do more than hamper the professional politician who otherwise is pretty sure to govern all cities. In other words, commission government is not automatic good government; this last requires and will always require the constant and concerted interest of good men.

What Columbia will do with her opportunity is a question the answer to which will be awaited with interest throughout the South.

It is curious but true that the weather which is unprecedented is always the brand that it is safe to expect.

Snow in Georgia ought to mean a particularly sunny poem from the always blossoming Frank L. Stanton.

CURRENT COMMENT.

Eugene N. Foss, recently elected to Congress from the fourteenth Massachusetts district, a republican stronghold, as a Democrat, was escorted to the Speaker's desk some days ago by his brother, a Republican representative from an Illinois district, to be sworn in. Their aged mother witnessed the event from the House gallery with peculiar pride, it is said. This is the first time that brothers of opposite political faith have ever ocupied seats in the House at the same time.—French Broad Hustler.

With a reluctance modified by the hope that some good will result The Observer this morning prints an appalling story of the virtual illiteracy which characterizes many college youths. A young man who believed that Messrs. Aldrich and Payne represent North Carolina in the United States Senate was the limit of the lot. It is shown all through what becomes of any one who attempts to acquire an education without intelligently and regularly reading the newspapers. We need hardly say that this story was verified by us before publication.—Charlotte Observer.

We should think that the officials of George Washington University at Washington, would be considerably embarrassed by the call now made upon them to account for the Corcoran fund of $200,000, which has all disappeared under their management except a $16,000 promisory note worth about $8,000. They have admittedly pursued the vicious practice of lending extensively to themselves. Incident to the university's recent application for a share of the appropriation divided among State agricultural colleges, Congress may make investigation. It is certain, at least, that these officials will need all the nerve which they possess.—Charlotte Observer.

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(Rockingham Post.)

Before the type on our first issue got cold the new editor of this paper was caned and we are going to be candid with our readers and give them our troubles and joys. This incident happened in this way: Last September our Presbyterian brethren held a Presbytery here, and a Mr. J. Henry Smith from Johnson county was a guest at our house. We were impressed with him as one of Johnson county's best citizens. One morning before breakfast we went out into the front piazza and found him cutting a limb from a magnolia tree in the front yard and had no idea why he was doing it.

This magnolia treee was planted in 1880 and the morning after it was planted—a small switch it was—we noticed it had been pulled up and the other end was in the ground. We soon learned that our three-year-old boy, Settle Dockery, had done the mischief. The tree was properly planted again and a small switch from another tree was used on Settle. The tree grew to be a large tree and Settle thinks he has done some growing too.

This magnolia tree has been recently taken up to give more room to a tall, majestic oak that grew from a small acorn, but back to the caning. Last week we were at the depot on the arrival of the train, the Rev. Mr. Forbis walked up to us and said take this and walk home. We told him that we were riding. He said take it and walk after you get home. We took it and found it a handsomely carved cane. It was carved by our Presbyterian friend. The head of the cane is the magnolia limb. It represents a snake swallowing a fish. We greatly appreciate this kind act from our friend of the numerous Smith family.

A Link With the Past.

(Fayetteville Observer.)

A strange sight in this twentieth century greeted the eyes of the residents on Person street one day last week, as sitting on the south side of the street they beheld a log house. It appears to have been a one-room cabin with a loft, the sills were hewn from the heart of the long leaf pine and measured 17x10 in. and 17 feet long. The cypress logs are 17 feet long. In all probability these timbers were cut from the land surrounding the cabin. It is hard to imagine that this beautiful street with its modern homes, paved street and walks, less than a hundred years ago was a forest, haunted by the deer; where the chip of the wild turkey was a familiar sound, and where the Indians came and camped on the banks of the beautiful Cross Creek just a few yards away. It has been impossible to learn who built the cabin, but we have been told by an old citizen that not less than 80 years ago it was owned by Miss Peggie McLeod. At that time the logs were covered with weather boards and two "shed rooms" added, these boards being stripped off a few days ago, left the old log cabin standing bare.

How pathetic! Poor old house. Its once happy occupants gone, forgotten! Perhaps their bodies lying in the old Potts burying ground on Russell street. This the sad silent witness speaking mutely of the vanished past, yet linking us with it as it brings thoughts of the long, long ago, when our forefathers struggled for the independence which we enjoy. In a few short months a modern home will be erected on the spot and the log cabin forgotten.

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ODD FELLOWS' CELEBRATION

Exercises in Academy of Music Tonight in Commemoration of 91st Anniversary—Frank D. Hackett, Orator.

Frank D. Hackett, Esq., of North Wilkesboro, Deputy Grand Master of North Carolina, of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows, who will be elevated to the office of Grand Master in May, arrived in the city last night and is a guest at The Orton. The four local lodges have arranged for a celebration in the Academy of Music tonight of the 91st anniversary of the founding of the order in the United States and Mr. Hackett will deliver the principal address.

Mr. Hackett is one of the most prominent Odd Fellows in the State and is a most pleasing speaker. He will be heard with peculiar interest on this occasion, just on the eve of his expected elevation to the highest office in the gift of the order in this State. Mr. Hackett arrived in the city on the train from the North last night and was met at the union station by members of the joint committee on arrangements for the entertainment, composed of Messrs. J. W. Robinson, chairman; John E. Wood, secretary; H. S. McGirt, J. T. Riley, G. D. Bradshaw, C. Y. DeVaun, R. F. Brown, L. D. Latta, H. O. Craig, T. G. Landen, W. P. Farrar and J. W. Overby. He was escorted to The Orton for supper and during the evening he was visited at the hostelry by many prominent local Odd Fellows.

The exercises in the Academy tonight will be open to the public and it is hoped that there will be a large attendance of Odd Fellows, members of their families and friends. The exercises will open with the singing of a quartette by Miss Lucy McIntosh, Mrs. J. D. Smith, Messrs. J. Fenley and H. K. Holden, following which there will be prayer by Rev. K. D. Holmes, the chaplain, and reading of the proclamation by Secretary J. T. King. Following the anniversary ceremony there will be another selection by the quartette, after which the speaker of the occasion will be introduced by Past Grand Master Marcus W. Jacobi. At the close of Mr. Hackett's address there will be a duet selection and the audience will then be dismissed by Rev. K. D. Holmes.

The following have been selected as the officers to preside over the meeting tonight: Past Grand, Samuel G. Hall; Noble Grand, W. H. Badon; R. S. to N. G., H. T. Newland; L. S. to N. G., D. Rountree; Vice Grand, E. Y. Davis; R. S. to V. G., J. H. Curtiss; L. S. to V. G., S. E. Rodgers; Secretary, J. T. King; Treasurer, C. D. Morrill; Warden, A. F. Walton; Conductor, O. O. Mills; Outer Guard, W. C. Smith; Inner Guard, J. H. Swinson; R. S., E. S. Hancock; L. S. S. H. C. Hamlin; Chaplain, Rev. K. D. Holmes. The following Grand Lodge officers have been invited to have seats upon the stage: Past Grand Masters John D. Bellamy and Marcus W. Jacobi; Grand Treasurer, R. J. Jones; Past Chief Patriarchs L. L. Boon and Wm. L. Smith. The ushers will be Messrs E. B. Moore, D. K. LeGwin, W. J. Bradshaw, T. K. Curtis, P. H. Murphy, W. F. King, E. Rivenbark and M. Hewitt.

WRIGHTSVILLE PUBLIC SCHOOL.

Honor Roll for Month of April—Distinctions Announced.

The following is the honor roll of the Wrightsville Public School for the month of April: First grade, Danie Lawhorne, Nora Dizor; second grade, Daisy Lawhorne, Audry Rogers, Gertrude Topel, Harris Northrop, Stacy McGowan, Robert Taylor; third grade, Ralph Piner, Willie Dizor; fourth grade, Fannie Mason; sixth grade, Sophie Northrop; seventh grade, Mamie Roberts.

Two scholarship medals were awarded, one to Miss Mamie Roberts, the other to Daisy Lawhorne. The following are the yearly averages: Higher grades: Mamie Roberts 98.006, Fannie Mason 97 1-3, Sophie Northrop 96 1-2, John Divine 96, Samuel Northrop 96. The primary grades were: Daisy Lawhorne 99, Retta Stokley 97, Harris Northrop 97, Stacy McGowan 94, Theodore Taylor 96, Audry Rogers 92, Herbert Topel 91, Danie Lawhorne 95 Fannie Northrop 94, Rob Taylor 96.

BLADEN STREET REVIVAL.

Series of Meetings Begin Next Monday—Dr. Nash Will Preach.

Rev. Dr. L. L. Nash, of Greensboro who is well known in Wilmington will begin a series of revival services at Bladen Street Methodist Church next Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. Dr Nash is well known in Wilmington and throughout the State as one of the most forceful minister of the Methodist Church. The people of Wilmington will be glad of the opportunity to hear this powerful preacher again. Rev. W. L. Rexford, the popular pastor, is fortunate in securing Dr Nash to assist in this meeting. A cordial invitation to attend these services is extended not only to the Bladen Street congregation but to the people generally throughout the city.

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COMPLAINT IN GODWIN CASE

Damages in the Sum of $25,000 Asked of Atlantic Coast Line for the iKilling Lester A. Godwin Three Weeks Ago.

Complaint was filed in Superior Court yesterday morning in the case of H. Mac. Godwin, administrator, against the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company for alleged damages in the sum of $25,000 for the killing of his brother, Lester A. Godwin, at the Ninth street crossing of the Coast Line on the night of April 6th last. The law firm of Ricaud & Empie appear for the plaintiff.

The complaint sets out the particulars of the accident which resulted in the instant death of young Godwin and charges wanton and reckless negligence of the defendant, its agents and employes; that while the said Godwin was passing along MacRae street in said City of Wilmington on the night of April 6th between 10 and 11 o'clock, on his way home, at a point where the defendant company maintains two tracks, comprising its main lines in and out of the city and two other branch lines or side tracks connected therewith, crossing said street, he (Godwin) was run down and instantly killed by a locomotive, or locomotives, of said defendant company, then engaged in moving a train of 35 or 40 cars from the western point of defendant's yards on the river front in said city to eastern limits of same, and was run over by two locomotives and several cars and instantly killed and his body mangled beyond recognition; that the train of cars was hauled by two locomotive engines, but at the time of the accident the front engine had been detached and had increased its speed for the purpose of taking a switch 100 feet west of the middle of said crossing and leaving the other engine and train of cars to continue on the track they were then on, without stopping, and was moving at a rate of speed exceeding 10 miles an hour at the time of the accident, without a lookout at the end nearest the street crossing and without blowing its whistle or giving other sufficient notice or warning of its approach. The ordinance of the city requiring trains to run at a speed of five miles an hour except when ascending a grade, when they may run at six miles, and the ordinance requiring that a man ride on the tender or rear car when the locomotive is running backwards, is given. The complaint further alleges that the street crossing was inadequately and badly lighted; the night was dark and only one incandescent light of 32 candle power, which supplied light for the entire crossing and this was placed at the extreme northwest end of the street; that the defendant had no guard, watchman or flagman stationed at said crossing to give notice or warning to pedestrians and other travelers of approaching trains, nor any gates nor other devices for protection of travelers; that the defendant was negligent in that it attempted to make such transfer of its engine and cars from one track to another without stopping either of said engines or train of cars, and further, omitting to have a lookout at the front as required by the ordinance of said city and the law of the State, and in running said engines or cars at an excessive rate of speed in violation of said ordinances and in failing to provide a watchman or flagman, or gates or other protection at said crossing to give warning and protection to travelers against the dangers incident to the operation of its engines, trains and cars in the night time on a public street crossing of a populous city, arbitrarily at its convenience and at irregular intervals; that the deceased was 30 years of age and was the sole support and maintenance of a widowed mother.

DREDGING BY CONTRACT.

Baltimore Interests Secure Amendment to Cape Fear Bill.

The Baltimore Sun of a recent date has a special from Washington, D. C., which would seem to indicate that it is very probable that the government in the future will undertake most of its dredging work by contract, if it is found that it can be done more economically by private contractors. After referring to an amendment to the River and Harbor bill by Senator Rayner, of Maryland, preventing the government's purchase of the Chasapeake canal between Norfolk and Beaufort without consideration also of the Dismal Swamp canal, which is owned by Baltimore capitalists, the special from Washington to the Sun says:

"A second amendment to the River and Harbor bill secured by Mr. Rayner before it went into conference was in opposition to the government dredging scheme for the Cape Fear river, in North Carolina. This item carried with it an appropriation of $400,000 for dredging, the work to be done and the dredges to be built by the government. Mr. Frank Furst and Mr. William P. Ryan, of Baltimore, on behalf of themselves and other large dredging enterprises in the United States, have opposed this scheme of government dredging, contending that it can be done at more reasonable rates by private dredging companies, one of the largest in the country being a Baltimore enterprise.

"Senator Rayner appeared with Mr. Ryan before the Senate Committee on Commerce, and an amendment was placed in the River and Harbor bill which provides that the government shall not do the dredging if it can be done by contract at more reasonable rates than the government itself can do the work. This gives Mr. Furst's company and other dredgers the right to bid for the work."

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RETURNS FROM TRIP NORTH

Mr. Chas. N. Evans Talks Interestingly of Plans for Bankers' Convention—Invited Northern Capitalists to Visit City.

Mr. C. N. Evans, cashier of the Southern National Bank and president of the Commercial Club, the active auxiliary of the Chamber of Commerce, who returned Saturday from a visit of several days to Philadelphia, Baltimore, New York and other places in the North, talked interestingly to a Star representative yesterday afternoon of his trip and of the plans for the annual meeting of the North Carolina Bankers' Association, which meets at Wrightsville Beach June 22, 23rd and 24th. Mr. Evans being a member of the programme committee.

Mr. Evans was busy at the time with an accumulation of correspondence, but when asked for an interview on plans for the bankers' convention and incidents of his trip North, he laid business aside for a few moments and dismissed his stenographer.

"Did you complete arrangements for the bankers' convention while away?" was the first question asked of Mr. Evans.

"While in Washington," said Mr. Evans, "I called upon Comptroller of Currency Lawrence O. Murray and asked him to reconsider his declination to deliver an address before the North Carolina bankers. You know he first accepted the invitation, but later advised that he could not possibly come to North Carolina at the time of the convention. Mr. Murray said that he would be very glad to meet and address the North Carolina bankers, but that he had already made arrangements to sail before that date and would be out of the country the latter part of June. Mr. Murray suggested extending an invitation to one of the other officers of the Treasury and promised to use his influence in securing acceptance."

Mr. Evans said that he had notified President J. O. Ellington, of Fayetteville, and Secretary W. A. Hunt, the other two members of the committee, of the Comptroller's inability to be present and stated that he expected both Mr. Ellington and Mr. Hunt to visit Wilmington one day this week for the purpose of deciding definitely upon the selection of a substitute "big gun" in the place of the Comptroller. Mr. Evans is very much in favor of selecting as few outside speakers as possible, believing that North Carolina bankers are more interested in what a State banker would have to say upon the important questions of the day than to hear long speeches from men unfamiliar with the conditions in this State.

On his way North, Mr. Evans was accompanied a portion of the way by Mr. W. J. Craig, general passenger traffic manager of the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company. Mr. Evans suggested to Mr. Craig that it would be a great accommodation to many of the bankers of the State if arrangements were made by which a special train, consisting of Pullmans, would leave Charlotte the day before the date of the convention coming via Greensboro and Goldsboro to Wilmington. When Mr. Evans returned to the city he found a letter from Mr. Craig advising that arrangements for the train had been made. A majority of those from the upper part of the State are expected to arrive here on this train. Mr. Evans says that he has every reason to believe that the attendance will be unusually large this year.

While in New York Mr. Evans learned that New York capitalists were considering the matter of establishing a million and a half dollar sugar refinery at Charleston, S. C., employing from 600 to 800 persons, and he called upon those behind the undertaking and had lunch with them. Mr. Evans put before them the advantages of Wilmington and asked them to come here on a trip of inspection if for any reason their Charleston plans miscarry. They assured him they would be glad to consider the advantages of Wilmington if the refinery was not established in the South Carolina city. The capitalists were simply amazed to learn that the exports of Wilmington were so much greater than Charleston, S. C., and they were astonished at many other facts regarding Wilmington, which only goes to show that Wilmington is not advertised as it should be. Mr. Evans also called upon a big coffee dealer in the metropolis and asked him to consider the matter of establishing a coffee house in Wilmington. Mr. Evans' idea was to ship the green coffee here, parch it, and use Wilmington for a distribution point for this entire section of the South. This coffee expert told Mr. Evans that green coffee stored in Wilmington for four months would increase in value one cent a pound, owing to the climatic conditions of this section.

In Baltimore Mr. Evans took up another matter of interest to Wilmington. He called upon the secretary of the Merchants and Manuaftcurers' Club of that city and put before him the importance of a steamship line between Baltimore and Wilmington. The secretary appeared very much interested as did other business men of Baltimore, who were approached on the matter. Mr. Evans will send to the secretary of the organization a mass of information relative to Wilmington and its shipping and there is a probability of the establishment of the line between these two cities.

Many Baltimore, Philadelphia and New York bankers have accepted invitations to attend the convention of the North Carolina bankers and many South Carolina bankers are expected to be here.

The above only goes to show that the Commercial Club has as its president a most progressive citizen and demonstrates the wisdom of the members in naming him as the head of the organization.

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BURGAW AND PENDER COUNTY

Business Men's Association Organized Last Night Under Favorable Auspices—Big Reclamation Project by Capitalists.

A "bigger, brighter, better, more prosperous and more progressive" Burgaw and Pender county was the object of an enthusiastic meeting last night in the Court House at Burgaw at which a Business Men's Association was organized under the most favorable auspices and plans were made for a proper reception of Messrs. Stewart and Laimon, prominent New York capitalists, who are expected with a party of Canadian associates in a few days for the purpose of making an inspection of the great Angola Bay, upon which the gentlemen named have recently renewed an option from the State, with a view of its ultimate reclamation, which would mean great things for the town and county and all this section of the State.

The meeting last night was composed of 34 of the leading and most progressive business men of Burgaw and vicinity and all were enthusiastic over the objects and purposes of the gathering, which will mark the beginning of a new era in the development of one of the best counties in the State. Mr. J. G. McNeal was called to the chair and Mr. Leon Motte was chosen temporary secretary. After the object of the gathering had been fully explained and the need of such an organization in the community was pointed out, it was decided to at once organize the "Business Men's Association," of Burgaw, which was done by the election of Mr. A. B. Croom, Jr., one of the leading young business men of this section of the State, as president; Mr. W. D. McNeal, secretary, and Mr. L. McNeill assistant secretary. A committee of five was appointed to draft suitable by-laws and constitution to govern the Association and report at a future meeting to be held on May 9th. There was also appointed a committee of seven of the leading members of the club to receive the prominent visitors named, who are expected in a few days on the important mission stated. This committee is empowered to entertain the visitors while in the county and to be of any assistance to them possible in the culmination of their plans, which will mean the immediate expenditure of at least half a million dollars and the reclamation of something like 47,000 acres of as fine farming land as there is in the State. The gentlemen named secured an option from the State on this vast body of land about six months ago and recently renewed the same. Messrs. Stewart and Laimon have now interested a party of Canadian capitalists, who are expected as early as tomorrow to take a view of the proposed reclamation project with the purpose of later colonizing it with a party of thrifty colonists who will do much for the internal development of Pender. The party upon their arrival will be met in automobies and taken out to the Bay, which is nine miles from Burgaw, near Croom's Bridge. The party will be entertained at the Black House, which is declared by all as good a hotel as there is in the State, and some do not except even the United States. A soil survey expert has already visited the Bay and Mr. Stewart has visited the property several times. They will receive every encouragement from the people to take up the option, which would mean great things for the county and section. The Business Men's Association formed last night has the brightest prospects and can do no better service to its community than in the fine entertainment which they will give to Pender's visitors this week.

New Launch for the Beach.

A new launch built for use this Summer at Wrightsville beach, named the "Smart Set" and owned by Mr. C. D. Maffitt, is about completed and will be launched tomorrow. She will be carried to Wrightsville during the early Summer and will be in charge of Mr. J. M. Hardesty. The launch is 26 feet long, 7 1-2 feet beam, with 7 1-2 horse power engine in her. She was built on the wharf near the steamer Duplin's landing.

Saved From the Grave.

"I had about given up hope, after nearly four years of suffering from a severe lung trouble," writes Mrs. M. L. Dix, of Clarkville, Tenn. "Often the pain in my chest would be almost unbearable and I could not do any work, but Dr. King's New Discovery has made me feel like a new person. Its the best medicine made for the throat and lungs." Obstinate coughs, stubborn colds, hay fever, la grippe, asthma, croup, bronchitis and hemorrhages, hoarseness and whooping cough, yield quickly to this wonderful medicine. Try it. 50c and $1.00. Trial bottles free. Guaranteed by Robert R. Bellamy.

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The above news item appeared in the Star April 22nd, 1910.

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CLOSING EXERCISES HELD

Wrightsville School Ends Most Successful Year With Rendition of Highly Creditable Programme Last Night.

The commencement exercises of the Wrightsville public school were held in the school building last night, having been postponed from Friday night on account of the death of Capt. John H. Hanby, a member of the County Board of Education. The programme was both pleasing and interesting and the school building was packed to the doors with friends and patrons of the school, all of whom speak in the highest terms of praise of the manner in which the pupils acquitted themselves. There were in attendance many persons from Wilmington, including Prof. Washington Catlett, county superintendent of public instruction.

The exercises last night marked the closing of one of the most successful years in the history of the school. The attendance has been considerably above the average and the pupils have taken deep interest in their studies. The exercises last night reflected the very careful training the children had received under the leadership of Miss Alma Carpenter, of Virginia the very popular principal, and Miss Bessie Roberts, of Wrightsville, her capable assistant. Two scholarships medals were offered by the teachers, one in each room, for the highest yearly grade, including recitations, attendance and deportment. The highest grades were as follows: Miss Carpenter's room: Mamie Roberts, 98.006; Fannie Mason, 97 1-3; Sophie Northrop, 96 1-2; Samuel Northrop, 96; John Divine, 96; Mamie Mason, 95; Della Taylor, 95; Ralph Piner, 92; Andrew Dizor, 93; Willie Dizor, 94; Walter Brock, 90; Eugene Cellar, 90. Miss Robert's room: Daisy Lawhorne, 99; Retta Stokley, 97; Harris Northrop, 97; Stacey McGowan, 94; Theodore Taylor, 96; Audry Rogers, 92; Herbert Topsel, 91; Carry Taylor, 96; Fannie Northrop, 94; Robert Taylor, 96. Miss Mamie Roberts and little Miss Daisy Lawthorne having received the highest grades, were awarded the medals, being presented in a most pleasing speech by Professor Catlett at the conclusion of the programme of exercises.

The evening's programme opened with a song, "Here's Where Scholars Do Their Best," by the school; followed by Welcome Address by Fannie Northrop; recitation, "Vacation," eighth grade girls; recitation, "I Want to be a Soldier," Walter Mason; recitation, "The Human Clock," five girls; chorus, "Vacation Song," recitation, "Choice of Trades," ten boys; concert recitation, "The Mill," six girls; recitation, "A Young Wife's Lament," Sophie Northrop; recitation, "A Poetry Contest;" recitation, "Her First Party," Retta Stokley; dialogue, "The Matromonial Advertisement;" "The Three Graces," Misses Taylor, Northrop, Roberts, Mason; dialogue, "The Sick Doll," Daisy Lawhorne, Nora Dizor, Harris Northrop; recitation, "He Don't Sell," Samuel Northrop; dialogue, "Taking the Census," Miss Bessie Roberts and Mr. Walter Stokley; duet, "The Quarrel," Retta Stokley and Harris Northrop; tableau, "Spring, Summer, Autumn and Winter;" declamation, Ralph McKelthan.

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NEW REGISTRATION ILLEGAL

Lawyers Say There is no Law Providing for Entire New Registration in New Hanover—Only Additions Will be Made.

At the meeting of the Democratic Executive Committee Saturday, April 9th, it was decided, upon motion of Mr. L. B. Rogers, to order an entire new registration for the primary to be held in May and the matter of hours the books were to be kept open was left with the chairman. There seemed to be some question at the time as to whether the committee had the right to order an entire new registration and since then the matter has been more fully investigated by Geo. L. Peschau, Esq., the lawyer-member of the committee. Yesterday morning he sent the following letter to Mr. John J. Furlong, chairman of the committee, bearing upon the legality of such action by the committee:

"Dear Sir:—I again call to your attention the question that was raised by me at the recent meeting of the Democratic Executive Committee of this county as to the right of the executive committee to call for a new registration in the coming primary.

"As the time for the call of the primary is at hand I beg again to advise you that I can find no law whatever authorizing the holding of this primary with a new registration. It is to be regretted that such is the law, but nevertheless this seems to be the case. For the purpose of registration the custodian of any of the registration books of New Hanover county must, upon demand, make a certified copy of the same, provided ten cents for each hundred names copied is paid.

"The executive committee may also provide for the further registration of voters whose names do not appear on said books, and for the purposes of such additional registration the registration books shall be open from 8 A. M. to 6 P. M. from Monday to Saturday inclusive, next preceding said primary, and the registration books shall be kept open at the polling places for the preceding general election and at no other places.

"I agree with you thoroughly that a new registration ought to be called, but in the absence of a statute I do not think it can lawfully be done. I have conferred with Mr. Herbert McClammy and Mr. J. O. Carr in this matter and they agree with me that the position taken is correct and in accordance with their construction of the law. Yours very truly,

"GEO. L. PESCHAU."

Of course, in view of the above opinion, there will be no entire new registration, but the books will be open for the registration of additional names as formerly.

COMMISSION PLAN.

Taxpayer Would Have Committee Visit Galveston or Houston.

Editor Morning Star:—Anent the suggestion from Mr. Bonitz's Iowa hot-air artist, I would say that I for one favor the Commission Plan of local government for the city of Wilmington, but I should also favor the appointment of a committee of two good, thinking business men to visit Galveston and Houston, Texas, where this commission plan of municipal government has been given a fair shake and let them make report, first as I am not stuck on the "Iowa idea" by any means. In other words I have been taught to "beware of Greeks bearing gifts." TAXPAYER

April 25th.

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SOCIAL and PERSONAL

Brief Mention, News of Societies, Meetings, Etc.

Mr. J. L. Boatwright left yesterday morning for Norfolk, Va., to visit his son.

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Mrs. C. N. Evans returned Saturday night from a delightful visit to Columbia and Georgetown, S. C.

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Mr. and Mrs. Chas. E. Taylor, Jr. left Sunday night for New York City where they will spend several days.

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Recorder Sykes, of Durham, a former Wilmingtonian, was here yesterday shaking hands with his numerous friends.

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Mr. T. C. Evans, of Lumberton, cashier of the Farmers and Merchants' Bank, spent Sunday here, the guest of his brother, Mr. Chas. N. Evans.

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Miss Senah Critz, one of Winston-Salem's most charming ladies, is the guest of Miss Helen Strange. Miss Critz will be a member of the Chisholm-Bailey wedding party today.

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Miss Sarah Jones, of Asheville, is the attractive guest of Miss Florence Kidder, on South Third street. Miss Jones is here to attend the Chisholm-Bailey marriage today.

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Among the arrivals yesterday for the Bailey-Chisholm wedding were the following from Charleston, S. C., who are guests at The Orton: Messrs. S. H. Chisholm, M. N. Hunter, W. B. Ravenel, Jr., and F. W. Chisholm.

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Mr. W. H. Twitty, cashier of the Charlotte National Bank, is expected to arrive in Wilmington in a day or two en route to Southport for a fishing trip of several days. He will be a guest at The Stewart House while at Southport.

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Interest of society will center today in the marriage of Miss Virginia Empie Bailey, the very attractive and accomplished daughter of Mrs. Edward Parr Bailey, to Mr. William Bachman Chisholm, Jr., of Charleston, S. C., which will be celebrated at St. James' Episcopal Church at 6 o'clock this evening. A large number of out-of-town friends of the couple have arrived to attend the marriage.

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DELIGHTFUL TRIP UP THE RIVER SUNDAY.

A number of Wilmington friends were the guests Sunday afternoon of Capt. Charles Muller, master of the auxiliary yacht Corsair, for a delightful outing up the river. The Corsair left the city at 2 o'clock in the afternoon and returned at 6 o'clock going about 15 miles up the river. At one of the river bluffs a stop was made and an appetizing lunch was served by the lady members of the party. The guests of Captain Muller were: Mr. and Mrs. P. N. Fick, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Bornemann, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Bornemann, Mr. and Mrs. H. Gendes, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Wessell, Miss A. Habene, E. Cheek, Katie Bornemann, Etta Fick, Anna Fick, Louise Fick, Messrs. V. R. Beasley, John Oldenbuttel, Albert Simson, H. Gendes, Jr. C. J. Fick, Theo. Fick and George Fick.

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CHRISTIAN ENDEAVORERS BACK FROM HIGH POINT.

Mrs. Joseph Sharrock and Miss Marguerite Gaylor returned yesterday morning from High Point, N. C., where they attended the State Christian Endeavor Convention in session there the past week as delegates from the Christian Endeavor Society of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, the former as delegate and the latter as alternate in place of Miss Isabel McDougall, who was prevented from attending on account of the serious illness and subsequent death of her father. The returning delegates report a most delightful session. Sunday night the feature of the exercises was the presentation of the banner to the Wilmington society with addresses made by E. P. Gates and Rev. J. F. McCullough, of Greensboro. A farewell service was held in which the delegates joined most heartily. The convention as a whole was a most successful one and all Christian Endeavor workers as well as others who attended the different sessions have received new inspiration and enthusiasm for this good work.

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ELABORATE DANCE HONOR OF ATRACTIVE BRIDES.

Preparations for the subscription dance to be given in the Masonic Temple tonight in honor of three attractive brides-to-be are complete. The hall has been decorated for the occasion and music will be furnished by Kneisel's splendid orchestra. The patronesses will be Mrs. E. P. Bailey, Mrs. Louise B. deRossett, Mrs. William Calder, Mrs. Virginia G. Empie, Mrs. Brooke G. Empie, Mrs. P. A. Hatten, of Washington, N. C.; Mrs. Geo. W. Kidder, Mrs. Thomas Settle, Mrs. Geo. G. Thomas, Mrs. Clayton Giles, Sr., Mrs. P. L. Bridgers, Mrs. J. K. Wise, Mrs. G. Herbert Smith, Mrs. E. W. VanC. Lucas, Mrs. J. Victor Grainger, Mrs. George Rountree, Mrs. Tench C. Coxe, Asheville; Mrs. P. C. Nye, Mrs. J. H. Boatwright, Mrs. Fred W. Dick, Mrs. Jas. A. Wilard, Graham; Mrs. Thomas C. deRosset, Baltimore, Md.; Mrs. Donald MacRae, Mrs. M. F. H. Gouverneur, Mrs. H. C. Prince, Mrs. R. H. Gwaltney.

Cards will be used for the first half of the dance. It will therefore be important to be punctual. Dancing begins promptly at 9 o'clock.

Funeral of Mr. Stone.

The funeral of the late Mr. W. H. Stone, well known in Wilmington and throughout this section, mention of whose death was made in The Star Saturday morning, was held Sunday morning from the family residence at Shallotte, Brunswick county, in the presence of a large concourse of relatives and friends, many attending from Wilmington. The interment was in the Shallotte cemetery.

Ice Cream Depends

For its goodness upon the Flavoring Extracts. Use Blue Ribbon Lemon and Vanilla Extracts.

THE RECORDER'S COURT.

Large Number of Cases and Two Sessions Were Held Yesterday.

There were some 25 or 30 cases on the Recorder's court docket for trial yesterday and two sessions of court were held, one in the morning and the other in the afternoon. At the morning session Isabella Burgwin, colored, was found guilty of assault with deadly weapon upon Hattie Williams, colored, but sentence was reserved until today. The case came up from Justice Harriss' court. Woodus Kellum and Brooke G. Empie, Esqs., represented the defendant and Geo. L. Peschau, Esq., appeared for the prosecution. Ed Walker, colored, charged with disturbing a religious worship at a colored church in the southern part of town Sunday night, was sentenced to six months on the county roads. Arthur Hill, colored, was fined $25 and taxed with the costs in a case against him for resisting Officer J. C. Vereen Saturday night. W. S. Mintz and C. D. Pinum, the latter a sailor, were found guilty of an affray and let off upon payment of the costs. Woodus Kellum, Esq., appeared for Mintz.

The case against Oliver Fisher, colored, who works in the near beer saloon of W. S. Mintz, charged with selling whiskey, was continued until today. Upon motion of County Attorney Marsden Bellamy the warrant was amended to charge sale April 23rd instead of April 16th. Woodus Kellum, Esq., will represent the defendant.

A case against William Murphy, colored, charged with abandonment of his wife, was dismissed, the wife testifying that she had not been abandoned by her husband, but that he had failed to provide for the support of their children. The woman stated that she would immediately take out another warrant charging her husband with failure to provide for the children W. P. Mangum Turner, Esq., represented the defendant. Joe Williams, colored, an old offender, charged with drunkenness, was sentenced to 30 days on the county roads.

The afternoon session convened at 3 o'clock. Ed Guion, a colored barber, was tried on the charge of carrying concealed weapons. He was represented by A. J. Marshall, Esq. The Recorder reserved his decision until today.

H. Watters, N. Gibson, W. Linsay, Sam Green, C. Wyler, L. Bluford, A. Evans, C. Austin, E. Jenkins, H. McKnight, colored, captured at an early hour Sunday morning, were araigned on the charge of gambling. John Williams and John Holloman, colored, were arrested with the others, but they were used as witnesses. L. Clayton Grant and Brooke G. Empie, Esqs., represented the defendants. Green, Evans and Linsay were found guilty and required to pay the costs. The other defendants were discharged. It was brought out in the evidence that there was only 95 cents on the table.

NEGRO'S VICIOUS ASSAULT.

Mr. "Dick" Warrock Set Upon by Discharged Employe at Chadbourn.

Many friends in this city of Mr. "Dick" Warrock, engineer of the Independent Ice Co., at Chadbourn, were alarmed yesterday at a much exaggerated report from Chadbourn that he had been waylaid and seriously cut by a discharged negro employe there Sunday night and that he had been brought to the hospital here for treatment. A long distance telephone message last night from Mr. L. H. Simmons, general manager of the company, stated that Mr. Warrock while very severely cut by the negro is in no danger and that he is able to continue his duties at the plant. Mr. Warrock had some trouble with the negro the day before and Sunday morning about 7 o'clock the negro appeared at the plant and called Mr. Warrock out, setting upon him with a razor. Fortunately the engineer had on his heavy working jacket and that alone saved him, the negro having literally slashed the jacket all to pieces from the collar to the waist. Mr. Warrock, however, succeeded in disarming the negro and holding him until help arrived. He was taken speedily to Whiteville jail where he is being held for trial. Mr. Warrock received a severe gash on the head, requiring 12 stitches in the wound, but the cut was superficial and it is thought he will suffer no serious consequences from it.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mr. Jos. S. Mitchell, of Florence, S. C., spent Sunday at home returning yesterday morning.

—Capt. W. E. Kyle, of Fayetteville, was among the arrivals in the city yesterday on business with the Atlantic Coast Line.

—Among the arrivals on the late Seaboard train last night were A. W. McLean, Esq., of Lumberton, and N. G. Wade, of Saint Paul's, who are guests at The Orton.

—Mr. James S. Hooper, deputy grand regent of the Royal Arcanum, has completed his work in establishing a flourishing council at Maxton, N. C., and will sojourn for a week or ten days at Rockingham, N. C.

—Col. Alfred M. Waddell left last evening for Washington, D. C., where he goes to be with his brother, Maj. Hugh Waddell, who, friends will regret to know is in the Providence Hospital in that city on account of feeble health.

—Mr. J. E. Porter, of the firm of Wade & Powell, railroad contractors, was in the city yesterday on his way to Weldon, N. C., where he will be in charge of the extensive work now being done for the Atlantic Coast Line in that territory.

HOPE FOR ECZEMA PATIENTS.

The oil of wintergreen compound or eczema—known as D. D. D. Prescription—can be secured at present from Robert R. Bellamy in a 25 cent bottle.

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Theatrical

Under a "big top," or tent Nathan Bros.' Railroad Shows will open their season in Wilmington tomorrow, giving two performances, and will also exhibit twice daily Thursday. The performance will be one of the most colossal for merit and novelty of any tent aggregation ever seen in this city. The acts will embrace wonderful arena feats, daring and astonishing, and a number of features will be exclusive with Nathan Brothers' Shows.

Yet while there will be acts of agility on the slack wire swaying ladder, swinging perch and high horizontal bars and death defying aerial feats presented in glittering manner at the peak of the canvas, one of the greatest of all features will be furnished by Prof. White, who will present his pony, mule and dog circus. This big act will create a sensation here as also the fat, sleek mules, who also furnish plenty of comedy, and the dogs, a collection of the finest breeds—do many marvelous tricks. There are 25 of these dog actors, including the highest leaping canines in the world.

The performances will commence promptly each day at 2 and 8 P. M., the doors opening one hour earlier and when Nathan Brothers' Challenge Band will give a superb concert. The admission will be but 25 cents. Promptly at 1 o'clock each day a big free act will be given in front of the big tent on the show grounds, at Fourth and Castle streets.

At the Bijou Today.

"The Wonderful Wizard of Oz" is the title of the feature picture of a splendid bill that will be shown at the Bijou theatre today. Legends of the fairyland and nursery rhymes have since time immemorial been paramount as an amusement of the children and this picture is one of the best of the kind.

SAD SERVICES SUNDAY.

Funeral of the Late Capt. John H. Hanby—Interment in Oakdale.

The funeral of the late Capt. John H Hanby was held from the residence of his nephew, Mr. John R. Hanby, No. 405 Dock street, at 4 o'clock Sunday afternoon, conducted by Rev. Thos. A. Smoot, pastor of Grace Methodist church. Hundreds of relatives and friends of the deceased assembled to pay a last sad tribute of respect to the memory of Captain Hanby, who was one of the city's most generally beloved citizens. The many handsome floral designs bore silent testimony to the very general high esteem in which Captain Hanby was held. Members of Cape Fear Camp, No. 254, United Confederate Veterans, with which the deceased was affiliated, attended the services in a body as did also members of the Masonic order, of which Captain Hanby was a member. The interment in Oakdale cemetery was with the honors of the Masonic order. The pall-bearers were: Honorary, Dr. Thos. S. Burbank, Prof. Washington Catlett, Messrs. John J. Blair, H. M. Foard and M. W. Divine; active, Messrs. James H. Chadbourn, R. H. Brady, Jesse Wilder, M. Marshburn, W. B. Cooper and Mayor Walter G. MacRae.

Officer Coleman Injured.

Many friends will regret to learn that Mounted Officer D. W. Coleman one of the most popular members of the police department, suffered a severe sprain of one of his ankles Sunday night, when his horse, which shied at a piece of paper, stumbled and fell, catching the officer's foot under its body. Officer Brinkley was riding close by and he assisted Mr. Coleman in extricating himself and the injured officer after being treated at Croom's drug store, was sent to his home, where he is being given medical attention. The accident occurred near corner of Eighth and Castle streets while the officers were answering a call to quell a disturbance a few blocks away. Mr. Coleman will not be able to be out for several days yet.

Ministerial Association.

The feature of the regular weekly Ministerial Association, held in the parlors of the Y. M. C. A. yesterday with a large attendance of members, was an address by Ensign Williams, of the local post of the Salvation Army, who told in a most interesting way something of the work of the organization, with special reference to some of its accomplishments in Wilmington. He was given careful attention by the large number of ministers in attendance.

Men's and Boys' new straw hats of 75c and $1.00 value, 39 cents at Gaylord's.

LOCAL DOTS.

—The Wilmington High School baseball team expects to go to Fayetteville the latter part of the week for a game there Saturday with the Donaldson Military School.

—Sunday the steamer Wilmington made its first trip to sea of the present season. Quite a large crowd took advantage of the opportunity. The boat returned to the city late in the afternoon.

—Report has been made to police headquarters that Lena Wilson, colored, was badly cut at corner of Swan's alley and Taylor street Saturday night by David Saunders, colored. No arrest has been made.

—By deed filed for record yesterday Clarence H. Bonham and wife to Mary E. Reaves, for $500 and other considerations, 47 3-4 acres of land in Harnett township, on north side of road leading from Wilmington to Wrightsville, adjoining lands of Paul Cause.

—The funeral of the late Mr. C. O. Beers, of Lake Waccamaw, was held at that place Sunday afternoon, conducted from the residence of Mr. F. B. Gault, a nephew of the deceased. The interment was at Lake Waccamaw.

—The firemen were called out at 12:15 o'clock Sunday on account of a blaze at No. 410 South Fifth street, house owned by Mr. Alex. Sholar, and occupied by Mr. C. P. Newton. The fire was caused by the explosion of a lamp and the damage was trivial.

—The Wilmington banks are shipping out great quantities of currency now to points in the strawberry belt.

—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Tidewater Power Company will be held at 11 o'clock this morning in the office of the company on North Front street.

—The funeral of Mr. Frank Thomas, whose death was mentioned in Sunday's paper, was held from the late residence, No. 712 North Second street, at 3:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon, conducted by Rev. W. L. Rexford, pastor of Bladen Street Methodist church. The interment was in Bellevue cemetery.

—The handsome new home of the Bank of Rose Hill, to replace the one burned some time ago, has been completed and the furniture and fixtures are now being moved to the new building. The building is modeled after the one that was destroyed by fire. Mr. M. J. Heyer, of this city, is president of the institution.

—An interesting and largely attended meeting of the David G. Worth Bible Class, Mr. H. G. Bowden, leader, was held in the rooms of the Y. M. C. A. last night. The class will continue to meet regularly through the Summer. The Bible Study Club, Rev. Dr. A. D. McClure, leader, held its last meeting of the season last night with a large attendance.

—The fire department was called out at 10:45 o'clock last night in response to an alarm from box 126, on account of a small blaze on one corner of a small frame building in Strauss' alley, between Fourth and Fifth and Bladen and Brunswick streets; building owned by Mrs. Lena Wessell and unoccupied. The fire had been quenched by a negro woman by the use of a bucket of water before the firemen arrived. The origin is unknown.

—The mine planter, General Schofield, returned to Fort Caswell yesterday morning, having come up Saturday afternoon for coal and supplies. Captain H. B. Grant is in charge of the boat, which is a very pretty one, by the way, and he has made many friends in Wilmington. The mine planter has been at the fort for some weeks, giving instructions to the soldiers and tomorrow there will be a practical demonstration of the skill of those receiving instructions.

SANITARY SUNDAY OBSERVED.

Special Sermons in Many Cities Throughout the State.

In many of the cities of North Carolina Sunday was observed as "Sanitary Sunday" and a large number of ministers preached special sermons bearing upon the treatment and prevention of diseases, especially the latter. One hundred prominent men of the United States have been selected as a committee on prevention of diseases. Mr. James Sprunt, of this city, has been named as one of the general committee. The committee has as one of its ultimate objects the creation of a Department of Health by Congress and to have its chief officer appointed a member of the President's cabinet. It is pointed out that this department would be of great importance and would do more than any other one thing to properly place before the people of the United States the subject of preventable diseases and methods which may be followed for their control and final extermination.

HAS NARROW ESCAPE FROM SURGEON'S KNIFE

Mrs. Margaret Lambert, a reproduction of whose likeness appears above, lives at 151 Broad street, New Haven, Conn. Mrs. Lambert recently had a narrow escape from the surgeon's knife, regarding which experience she says:

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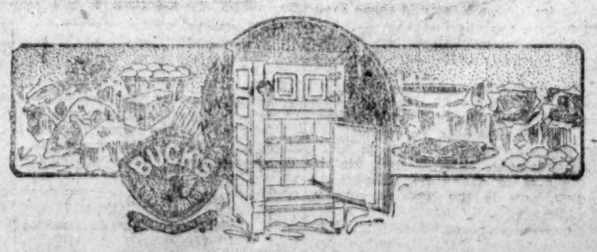

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MARKET QUOTATIONS

¶ The Latest Reports From the Important Trading Centers and From Local Dealers.

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

STAR OFFICE April 25.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market, nothing doing.

ROSIN—Market nothing doing.

TAR—Market, firm $2.00 per barrel.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Market, firm $3.00 per barrel for hard; $4.50 for dip and $5.50 for virgin.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine 37, rosin $2.65, tar $1.70, crude turpentine $1.75 and $2.75.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits turpentine	(—)
Rosin	27
Tar	52
Crude turpentine	44

Receipts same day last year 3 casks spirits turpentine; 34 barrels rosin; 70 barrels tar; 37 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON MARKET.

Market—Quiet 14 3-8. Quotations corresponding day last year 8 9-16c.

Receipts 488 bales same day last year 1,035.

PRODUCE MARKET.

(Quoted by W. J. Meredith April 24th.)

PEANUTS—North Carolina, No. 1 $1.20 to $1.25 per bushel; Spanish $1.40 and $1.50; Virginias $1.00 and $1.10.

CORN—Firm 90 to 95c per bushel for mixed.

N. C. HAMS—Good demand; hams 19 to 20; shoulders and sides 15 cts.

EGGS—19 cents.

CHICKENS—Spring 20 and 35; grown 45 to 50, scarce.

BEESWAX—Firm at 26c.

TALLOW—Firm at 4 1-2c per pound.

BEEF CATTLE—Good demand at 3 and 4 1-2c per pound on foot.

HIDES—Dr., flint 14c; green 9c per pound

SWEET POTATOES—Good demand 65c per bushel for yams.

WOOL—Burr 18c.; free of burr 24c.

GEESE—50@55 per head.

PORK—Small corn fed 10; large 9c., owing to quality.

SHEEP—No sales.

LAMBS—Good demand $1.50 to $3.00.

PEAS—White black eyes $2.25 and $2.50; lady fingers $2.75; clay and cow peas $1.65, dull.

THE COTTON MARKET.

New York, April 25.—The cotton market was very active and very excited as a result of sensational new crop damage reports based upon the sleet, snow and freezing temperatures report quite generally of the Northern half of the cotton belt during the past two days and the close was firm at a net advance of 16 to 66 points. The market opened strong at an advance of 9 to 14 points on the old crop and of 29 to 31 points on the new, on general buying attributed chiefly to the bad weather reports but also in response to strength in Liverpool, covering by houses short of spot cotton as a result of the southern spot firm faiture and reports of reduced acreage in Mississippi and Louisiana. Trading was more general than for weeks past, and while realizing caused slight recessions during the morning the general tone of the market was firm, while the most active trading of the day was probably that which occurred during the last half hour when there seemed to be a particularly big demand from the south. May contracts sold as high as 14.92 or 21 points above Saturday's close, but the chief excitement and strength was in the new crop positions and October cotton sold at 12.94 or 57 points net higher. The close was only a little from the best under realizing. Practically every house in the street received complaints of damage to young cotton which seems to have been unusually far advanced for the season, and reports that replanting would be necessary over a very large area were accompanied by claims that there was a scarcity of seed. A wire received from Memphis stated that oil mills there were selling seed at such sensational prices as $50 to $60 per ton with $75 predicted should the demand continue. The excitement over the new crop, overshadowed the near months situation for the time being but the big buying of the later deliveries by the near months bulls led to rumors that the bull campaign was to be extended into the early new crop season, southern spot markets officially reported were generally unchanged.

Receipts at the ports today were 2,219 bales against 86,510 last week and 142,258 last year. Today's receipts at New Orleans were 1,425 bales against 6,127 last year and at Houston 2,596 bales against 5,900 last year.

Spot cotton closed quiet, 10 points higher. Middling uplands 15.25; middling gulf 15.50. Soles were 11,000 bales.

Cotton futures opened and closed firm.

Month.	Open.	High.	Low.	Clos.
April	15.00	14.50	14.50	14.97
May	14.81	14.93	14.77	14.87
June				14.78
July	14.68	14.79	14.60	14.76
August	13.88	14.14	13.83	14.12
September		13.26	13.04	13.20
October	12.48	12.94	12.48	12.92
November				12.79
December	12.50	12.80	12.48	12.78
January	12.50	12.75	12.47	12.74
March	12.47	12.47	12.47	12.74

LIVERPOOL COTTON MARKET.

Liverpool, April 25.—Cotton: Spot good demand. American middling fair 8.52; good middling 8.02; middling 7.88; low middling 7.78; good ordinary 7.52; ordinary 7.37.

The sales of the day were 8,000 bales of which 500 were for speculation and included 7,900 American. Receipts 2,000 bales including 100 American. Futures opened and closed firm. April 7.75; April and May 7.68; May and June 7.65; June and July 7.61; July and August 7.53 1-2; August and September 7.27; September and October 6.88; October and November 6.70; November and December 6.62 1-2; December and January 6.60 1-2; January and February 6.59; February and March 6.58; March and April 6.57 1-2.

HUBBARD BROS. & CO.'S LETTER.

New York, April 25—Snow, ice and freezing weather over a large portion of the cotton belt on Sunday, brought about a rapid advance in the new crops closing firm at the best prices. Many parties were believed to be long of May and July, having sold October against these purchases on the good crop advices of the past month. This made more offerings in May and increased the demand for October and December. Such cold weather has not occurred at this season for many years, so the trade were quite unprepared for any damage from cold. Seed is reported to be very scarce, many planters having been tempted by the high prices paid by the mills to sell more than usual. This fact led many to consider the situation more serious than usual. Cotton is coming here in large quantities for May. Liverpool is due ten to twelve points higher tomorrow.

HUBBARD BROS. & CO.

PORT MOVEMENT.

Galveston—Steady, 14 1-16; net receipts 978; stock 81,967.

New Orleans—Steady, 14 3-16; net receipts 1,425; stock 122,065.

Mobile—Nominal, 14 1-2; net receipts 24; stock 24,562.

Savannah—Steady, 14 1-2; net receipts 1,270; stock 43,068.

Charleston—Stock 8,187.

Wilmington—Quiet, 14 3-4; net receipts 488; stock 11,701.

Norfolk—Firm, 14 3-4; net receipts 3,171; stock 27,483.

Baltimore—Nominal, 15 1-8; stock 6,581.

New York—Quiet, 15.25; net rcf receipts 600; stock 224,596.

Boston—Quiet, 15.25; net receipts 20; stock 8,704.

Philadelphia—Steady, 15.50; stock 2,652.

Jacksonville—Net receipts 243.

Total today, at all ports, net receipts 8,219; Great Britain 903; Continent 100; stock 562,999.

Consolidated, at all ports, net receipts 26,350; Great Britain 2,795; Continent 5,290; Japan 150.

Total since September 1st, at all ports, net receipts 6,710,738; Great Britain 1,958,849; France 828,472; Continent 2,283,804; Japan 75,882; Mexico 13,819.

INTERIOR MOVEMENT.

Houston—Steady, 14 5-8; net receipts 2,506; stock 46,115.

Augusta—Steady, 14 5-8; net receipts 109; stock 34,786.

Memphis—Steady, 14 7-8; net receipts 315; stock 81,958.

St. Louis—Quiet, 14 3-4; stock 38,007.

Cincinnati—Net receipts 484; stock 15,263.

Little Rock—Quiet, 14 1-4; net receipts 184; stock 33,143.

Louisville—Firm, 15.

Total today—Net receipts 3,688; gross receipts 6,468; shipments 10,031; sales 11,281; stock 247,300.

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET.

New York, April 25.—Flour quiet with prices steady.

Rye Flour—Steady.

Corn Meal—Firm.

Wheat—Firm; No. 2 red 1.16 1-2 nominal elf; No. 1 northern 1.19 3-4 nominal fob opening navigation. Options closed firm at unchanged to 3-8c net advance. May 1.17; July 1.11 5-8; September 1.09 1-8.

Corn—Spot steady; steamer 63 1-2 nominal and November nominal both elevator export basis. Options closed 1 1-8 to 2 1-8 net higher. May 69 5-8; July 72 1-2; September 73 3-8.

Oats—Steady; mixed nominal. Options closed nominal.

Lard—Steady.

Tallow—Quiet.

Petroleum—Steady.

Rice—Quiet.

Molasses—Quiet.

Coffee—Futures closed steady net unchanged to 10 points lower. Spot coffee quiet; Rio No. 8, 8 1-2; Santos No. 4, 9 1-4; mild coffee quiet; Cordova 9 1-2 to 12 1-4.

Butter—Steady at decline, creamery specials 29 to 29 1-2; do extras 28 1-2; do thirds to firsts 25 to 28; do held seconds to specials 24 to 28; state dairy common to finest 23 to 29; process first to specials 23 to 26.

Cheese—Steady, state, full cream, old specials 17 1-2; old fancy white 17 1-4; colored 17 to 17 1-4; good to prime 16 to 3-4; new best 13 1-2; new common to fair 12 to 13; state skims specials 11 to 1-2; fine 9 to 10; common to good 4 1-2 to 8 1-2; full skims 3 to 3 1-2.

Eggs—Weak; state, Pennsylvania and nearby hennery white 23 to 25 gathered white 23 to 24 1-2; hennery brown and mixed fancy 23; gathered brown fair to prime and western storage selections 22 to 22 1-2; southern regular packed firsts 20 1-2 to 21.

Potatoes—Weak; Florida new white per barrel 3.50 to 5.00; southern 1.00 to 1.25; Bermuda new 4.00 to 6.00; Main in bulk per 180 pounds 1.00 to 1.25; state and western in bulk per 180 pounds 1.00 to 1.12; Jersey sweets 20c to 1.00.

Cabbages—Easy; southern crate 1.50 to 2.50; red 2.50 to 3.00.

Freights—Steady; cotton to Liverpool per 100 pounds 14c; grain to Liverpool 3-2d; grain to London 1 1-2d.

Peanuts—Steady, fancy handpicked Virginia 5 1-2 to 3-4; Virginia shelled Nos. 1 and 2, 6 3-4 to 7.00.

The cotton seed oil market was firmer closing at a net advance of 5 to 18 points on covering by shorts and buying by commission houses influenced by the unfavorable reports regarding the weather and crop conditions in the south and the big advance in the price for cotton seed. Total sales for the day were 10,200 barrels, May 7.48 to 7.50; July 7.83 to 7.85; October 7.37 to 7.39; December 6.63 to 6.65. Prime crude 7.07 nominal; prime summer yellow 7.70 to 7.80; do winter do 7.90 to 8.50; do summer white 8.00 to 8.75.

DRY GOODS MARKET.

New York, April 25.—The cotton goods market is very irregular in price and pressure from offerings in second hands makes values uncertain. Jobbing trade is quiet. Demand for woolen and worsted goods is from the retailers and is satisfactory but the cutting up trade is not calling for additional supplies as yet. Raw silk is heavy in the leading Japan markets. Canton silks are steady and in fairly good demand.

PEANUTS.

(Reported by Rodgers, MacCabe & Co.)

Petersburg, Va., April 4.—Spanish, market firm at $1.35 per bushel; good demand. Virginias, market quiet at 4 1-2c for jumbos; fancy handpicked 3 3-4 to 4c; machine picked 3c to 3 3-4c; shelling stock 2 3-4 to 3c.

THE GRAIN MARKET.

Chicago, April 25.—Wheat prices closed strong at an advance of from 1-8 to 1-2 today after a nervous session in which large offerings caused a sag of about 1-2c from the early high midway session. Favorable reports from growing fields caused a late reaction the distant futures reaching nearly to the early high. Corn also started strong and fell away on heavy selling, more than recovered losses late in the session on a rush of buying induced by frost scares. Oats in forrower limits displayed the same trend as wheat and corn. Provisions showed symptoms of firmness early but reacted in increased offerings and closed strong 5 to 32 1-2c down.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Clos.
Wheat—				
May	1 10⅝	1 10⅝	1 08⅞	7 10
July	1 03⅝	1 03⅝	1 02⅝	1 03⅛
Sept	1 02	1 02	1 00⅝	1 01⅛
Corn—				
May	59½	60¼	58½	60
July	62⅝	63½	61⅝	63⅝
Sept	63¾	64⅛	63	64⅛
Oats—				
May	43	43	42	43
July	41⅜	41⅜	40⅝	41⅜
Sept	40	40	39	39½

Mess Pork, per bbl.—

May	21 80	21 80	21 50	21 70
July	22 15	22 25	21 75	21 90
Sept	22 10	22 15	21 75	21 90

Lard, per 100 lbs.—

May	12 30	12 37½	12 25	12 30
July	12 40	12 40	12 12½	12 22½
Sept	12 25	12 40	12 10	12 17½

Short Ribs, per 100 lbs.—

May	12 22½	12 27½	12 15	12 17½
July	12 07½	12 20	11 97½	12 02½
Sept	12 00	12 15	11 92½	12 00

CHICAGO CASH GRAIN.

Chicago, April 25.—Cash wheat—No. 2 red 1.10 1-2 to 1.12; No. 2 do 1.05 to 1.10 1-2; No. 2 hard 1.10 to 1.11 1-2; No. 3 do 1.05 to 1.10 1-2; No. 2 northern 1.11 to 1.12 1-2; No. 3 spring 1.05 to 1.11.

Corn—No. 2, 59 1-2 to 60; No. 2 white 62 1-2 to 63; No. 3 yellow 60 to 61; No. 3, 58 1-2 to 59; No. 3 white 60 to 62; No. 3 yellow 59 to 60; No. 4, 55 1-2 to 56; No. 4 white 56 to 58; No. 4 yellow 56 to 57 3-4.

Oats—No. 2 white 44 to 44 1-2; No. 3, 41; No. 3 white 41 1-2 to 43 1-2; No. 4 white 41 to 42 1-2; standard 43 1-4 to 44 1-4.

THE FINANCIAL MARKET.

New York, April 25.—Money on call steady 2 7-8 to 3 per cent., ruling rate and closing bid 2 7-8, offered at 3. Time loans easy, sixty days 3 1-2 to 3 3-4, ninety days 4 3-4; six months 4.

Prime mercantile paper 4 3-4 to 5 per cent. Sterling exchange steady with actual business in bankers bills at 4.8425 to .35 for sixty day bills and at 4.8780 for demand. Commercial bills 4.83 5-8 to 4.84 1-8. Bar silver 53 5-8. Mexican dollars 44.

U. S. BONDS.

U. S. ref. 2s, registered	100 3-4
U. S. ref. 2s, coupon	100 3-4
U. S. 3s registered	102 1-2
U. S. 3s coupon	102 1-2
U. S. 4s, registered	114 1-2
U. S. 4s, coupon	114 1-2
Allis Chalmers 1st 5s	78
American Agricultural 5s	102 1-4
American Tel & Tel cv 4s	101
American Tobacco 4s	79
American Tobacco 6s	107 1-4
Armour & Co. 4 1-2	92 1-4
Atchison gen. 4s	98 1-4
Atchison cv. 4s	111 1-4
Atchison cv 5s	111 1-2
Atlantic Coast Line 1st 4s	94 1-2
Baltimore & Ohio 4s	98 1-4
Baltimore & Ohio 3 1-2s	90 1-2
Baltimore & Ohio S. W. 3 1-2s	90 1-2
Brooklyn Transit cv 4s	84 1-4
Central of Georgia 5s	105 7-8
Central Leather 5s	100 1-4
Central R. R. of N. J. gen. 5s	123
Chesapeake & Ohio 4 1-2s	101
Chesapeake & Ohio ref 5s	93 7-8
Chicago & Alton 3 1-2s	72 1-2
Chicago, B. & Q. joint 4s	95 7-8
Chicago, B. & Q. gen. 4s	98 1-8
Chicago, Mil. & St. P. gen 3 1-2s	90
Chicago, R. I. & P. R. R. col 4s	79
Chicago, R. I. & P. Ry. rfg. 4s	80 3-4
Colorado Industrial 5s	78
Colorado Midland 4s	77 1-2
Colo. & Southern ref & ext 4 1-2s	97 3-8
Delaware & Hudson cv. 4s	99
Denver & Rio Grande 4s	93 1-2
Denver & Rio Grande ref 5s	92 1-2
Distillers 5s	71
Erie prior lien 4s	82 7-8
Erie Gen. 4s	74
Erie cv. 4s series "A"	78
Erie cv. 4s series "B"	70
General Electric cv. 5s	132 3-4
Illinois Central 1st ref 4s	97
Interborough Met 4 1-2s	81
Inter Merc Marine 4 1-2s	64 3-4
Japan 4s	91 1-2
Japan 4 1-2s	95 1-2
Kansas City Southern 1st 3s	72 1-4
Lake Shore deb. 4s (1931)	93
Louisville & Nash. Un 4s	98
Missouri, Kan. & Tex. 1st 4s	98 1-2
Mo., Kan. & Texas gen. 4 1-2s	88 1-2
Missouri Pacific 4s	79
National Rys of Mexico 4 1-2s	94 7-8
New York Central gen. 3 1-2s	89 1-2
New York Central deb 4s	94 1-2
N. Y., N. H. & Hartford cv. 6s	132 1-2
Norfolk & Western 1st con. 4s	98 1-8
Norfolk & Western cv. 4s	102 7-8
Northern Pacific 4s	100 3-4
Northern Pacific 3s	72
Oregon Short Line rfdg 4s	92 1-2
Penn. cv. 3 1-2s (1915)	96 1-4
Penn. Con. 4s	96 1-4
Reading Gen. 4s	102 7-8
St. Louis & San Fran. fg 4s	98 3-4
St. Louis & San Fran. gen. 5s	83
St. Louis S'western con. 4s	88 5-8
St. Louis S'western 1st gold 4s	77 5-8
Seaboard Air Line 4s	91
Southern Pacific col 4s	85 1-2
Southern Pacific cv. 4s	98 3-4
South. P. R. R. 1st ref 4s	100 1-2
Southern Railway 5s	94 3-4
Southern Railway gen. 4s	105 7-8
Union Pacific 4s	78
Union Pacific cv 4s	109 5-8
Union Pacific 1st and ref. 4s	103 1-2
U. S. Rubber 6s	98 3-4
U. S. Steel 2nd 5s	103 1-4
Virginia Car. Chemica 5s	104 1-8
Wabash 1st 5s	98 1-2
Wabash 1st and ext. 4s	109 1-2
Western Md., 4s	70
Westinghouse Electric cv. 5s	84 1-2
Wisconsin Central 4s	89 7-8

THE STOCK MARKET.

New York, April 25.—Speculative sentiment in the stock market today was more depressed than ever after the failure of the momentary rally during the day to hold. The tone was nervously weak and at severe declines at the closing. The recuperative power of the market proved extremely moderate and short lived.

The action of the wheat market was taken as discrediting the worst fears of damage to grain by the cold wave.

The firm closing wheat was partly neutralized also by the excited strength in cotton and the alarming views of damage current in that market. Support centered on United States to the accompaniment of renewed predictions of great pusitiveness that the dividend would be increased to a 5 per cent rate at tomorrow's meeting of directors. The chaotic conditions in the cotton market have their disturbing from both the stock market and the financial point of view. To protect the position in the cotton market there is liquidation of stocks. The difficult position in the cotton shorts has induced repurchase of cotton in Liverpool and re-shipment here at a loss. On top of this complication comes a rush of Liverpool brokers to New York to make fresh purchases, influenced by the appearance of cotton bills of lading abroad for which no cotton shipments exist. Paralysis of the cotton industry is a dreaded consequence. The belief that cotton sold for May delivery is guarded against becoming available for continually threatens to ascend to period of anxiety and unsettlement.

Bonds were easy. Total sales, par value, were $1,853,000. United States bonds were unchanged on call. Total sales of stocks today were 590,300 shares.

CLOSING STOCK LIST.

Allis Chalmers pfd	36 1-2
Amalgamated Copper	72 1-8
American Agricultural	44
American Beet Sugar	37
American Can	10 1-8
American Car & Foundry	61
American Cotton Oil	64 5-8
American Hide & Leather pfd	44
American Ice Securities	25 1-2
American Linseed	13 1-8
American Locomotive	29
American Smelting & Ref'ng	79 2-8
Amer. Smelting & Ref'ng pfd	101 3-4
American Steel Foundries	37
American Sugar Refining	122
American Tel. & Tel	135 3-8
American Tobacco, pfd	96
American Woolen	36
Anaconda Mining Co.	43 1-2
Atchison	110
Atchison pfd	102 3-8
Atlantic Coast Line	127
Baltimore & Ohio	108 1-2
Bethelehem Steel	29
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	77 1-4
Canadian Pacific	181 3-8
Central Leather	32
Central Leather pfd	107
Central of New Jersey	280
Chesapeake & Ohio	84 1-2
Chicago & Alton	50 1-2
Chicago Great Western	27 1-2
Chicago Great Western pfd	52 1-2
Chicago & Northwestern	150
Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul	135 3-4
C. C. C. & St. Louis	84 1-2
Colorado Fuel & Iron	37 7-8
Colorado & Southern	38 1-4
Consolidated Gas	137 1-2
Corn Products	15 1-2
Delaware & Hudson	170
Denver & Rio Grande	30 1-2
Denver & Rio Grande pfd	80
Distillers' Securities	30
Erie	28 1-4
Erie 1st pfd	45
Erie 2nd pfd	45 1-8
General Electric	149
Great Northern pfd	135 1-8
Great Northern Ore Ctfs	64
Illinois Central	137
Interborough Met	22
Interborough Met pfd	56 1-2
Inter Marine pfd	18
International Paper	12 1-2
International Pump	45
Iowa Central	21 1-2
Kansas City Southern	34 1-8
Kansas City Southern pfd	66
Laclede Gas	101 5-8
Louisville & Nashville	147 1-2
Minneapolis & St. Louis	37
Minn., St. P. & Sault St. M.	140 7-8
Missouri, Kansas & Texas, pfd	32 1-2
Missouri Pacific	68 1-2
National Biscuit	107 1-2
National Lead	70 1-2
Nat'l Rys of Mexico 2nd pfd	27 3-4
New York Central	120 1-8
New York, Ontario & Western	43 5-8
Norfolk & Western	102 3-4
North American	74
Northern Pacific	131 1-2
Pacific Mail	26 1-2
Pennsylvania	134
People's Gas	109
Pittsburg, C. C. & St. Louis	160 1-4
Pittsburg Coal	18
Pressed Steel Car	29 1-4
Pullman Palace Car	190
Railway steel Spring	29 1-8
Reading	160
Republic Steel	33
Republic Steel pfd	99 1-4
Rock Island Co.	24 1-4
Rock Island Co. pfd	58 1-2
St. Louis & San Fran. 2nd pfd	47 3-4
St. Louis Southwestern	28 3-4
St. Louis Southwestern pfd	71 1-2
Sloss Sheffield Steel & Iron	73
Southern Pacific	128 1-2
Southern Railway	26 3-8
Southern Railway pfd	62 3-4
Tennessee Copper	29 3-4
Texas & Pacific	31
Toledo, St. Louis & West	41
Toledo, St. Louis & West pfd	64
Union Pacific	181
Union Pacific pfd	106
United States Realty	75
United States Rubber	42
United States Steel	81 1-2
United States Steel pfd	119 1-2
Utah Copper	44 3-4
Virginia Car. Chemical	77 1-2
Wabash	20
Wabash pfd	44 1-8
Western Maryland	45 7-8
Westinghouse Electric	62
Western Union	70
Wheeling & Lake Erie	4

NAVAL STORES.

New York, April 25.—Rosin steady, turpentine firm.

Savannah, April 25.—Turpentine firm 59 to 59 1-4; sales 688; receipts 314; shipments 1396; stocks 4,020. Rosin firm; sales 1,118; receipts 1,172; shipments 1,914; stock 55,133. Quote: A, B, C, 4.07 1-2; D, 4.37 1-2; E, 4.45 to 70; F, 5.02 1-2 to 5.05; G, 5.10 to 5.17 1-2; H, 5.25; I, 5.35; K, 5.60; M, 5.70; N, 5.90; WG, 5.90 to 6.00; WW, 6.00 to 6.10.

Charleston, S. C., April 25.—Turpentine firm 59. Rosin firm. Quote: A, B, C, 4.30; D, 4.35 to 4.40; E, 4.60 to 4.65; F, 5.00 to 5.02; G, 5.05; H, 5.15; I, 5.30; K, 5.60; M, 5.80; N, 5.90; WG, 5.95 to 6.00; WW, 6.05 to 6.12 1-2.

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MARINE DIRECTORY.

List of Vessels Now in Port at Wilmington, N. C.

Schooners.

F. & T. Lupton, 707 tons, Longstreet, C. D. Mallitt.

Chas. D. Endicott, 751 tons, Johnson, C. D. Mallitt.

Barques.

Hancock, 348 tons Finley, C. D. Mallitt.

BY RIVER AND RAIL

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

Wilmington, N. C., April 25, 1910.

W. & W. Railroad—6 casks spirits turpentine, 6 barrels tar, 1 barrel crude turpentine.

W., C. & A. Railroad—235 bales cotton, 4 barrels tar, 16 barrels crude turpentine.

A. & Y. Railroad—28 barrels tar, 42 barrels tar, 3 barrels crude turpentine.

A. & N. Railroad—5 barrels crude turpentine.

Str. Wonyaw—39 bales cotton.

Schr. Shevert—27 barrels rosin.

Total—488 bales cotton, 27 barrels rosin, 52 barrels tar, 44 barrels crude turpentine.

THE DAY IN CONGRESS.

Senator Lodge Withdrew His Resolution—The Railroad Bill.

Washington, April 25.—In the Senate today Mr. Lodge withdrew his resolution asking the Senate's sanction for the expenditure of $65,000 to continue the cost of living inquiry. This action was taken on the ground that members of the minority were conducting such an extended debate upon the resolution as to interfere seriously with the passage of the railroad bill. The committee will continue the inquiry, however, under the authority of the original resolution.

The Crawford-Elkins traffic agreement of the railroad bill was under discussion in the Senate during most of the day. Senator Root spoke in favor of the provision, while Senator Doliver and Clapp opposed it.

The House considered the bill relating to the District of Columbia.

SITE FOR REFORMATORY.

Commissioners Purchase "White House" Tract in Virginia.

Washington, April 25.—The commissioners have completed arrangements for the purchase of the "Belvoir," of "White House" tract in Fairfax county, Virginia, which will be used as a site for a new district reformatory.

The attorney general within a few days, will be requested to cause condemnation proceedings to be instituted for purchase of the land.

Owners of six sevenths of the tract have signified their willingness to accept $22 an acre for the land, which comprises 1,500 acres, and is located on the Potomac river, a part of it bordering on Accotink Bay and Accotink creek.

The land was surveyed recently by J. B. Shinn, assistant surveyor of the District.

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FOR THE LEGISLATURE.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the House of Representatives, from New Hanover county, subject to the will of the Democratic party, to be expressed at the primary.

WOODUS KELLUM.

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COL. WADDELL FOR RECORDER

At a meeting of citizens tonight it was decided to urge the name of Col. A. M. Waddell for Recorder of New Hanover County. This action was taken without Col. Waddell's knowledge or consent and we urge him for this position because we think he is the high type of man who should be called to this duty without seeking it, and we urge all citizens to support him.

MANY CITIZENS.

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TO THE VOTERS OF NEW HANOVER CO

I take this method of thanking you for your kind support in the past, and at the same time say to you that I am again a candidate for the office of County Treasurer subject to the Democratic Primary, called to be held on the 18th day of May. If I am nominated and elected I shall do in the future, as I have done in the past, serve you faithfully.

Very Respectfully,
H. McL. GREEN.

ap 10 to ma 18.

TO DEMOCRATIC VOTERS OF NEW HANOVER.

Thanking you for generous support in the past, I announce myself a candidate for the Legislature, subject to the Democratic primary.

ap 19 tf. BROOKE G. EMPIE.

FOR REGISTER OF DEEDS.

Subject to the will of the people as expressed in the Democratic Primary to be held in New Hanover county, I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Register of Deeds.

ap 21 tf. HENRY HORNE.

FOR REGISTER OF DEEDS.

To the Democratic Voters of New Hanover County: I again present myself for the nomination of Register of Deeds, subject to your will to be expressed at the polls at the Primary election may 18th, 1910. I deeply and warmly appreciate your past support.

Respectfully,
ap 10 tf JOHN HAAR.

TO THE DEMOCRATIC VOTERS.

Without the solicitation of friends, or any other person or persons, but simply of my own volition, I hereby announce myself a candidate for the legislature, from New Hanover County, subject to the action of the Democratic primary to be held the 18th day of May 1910.

JOSEPH W. LITTLE.

ap 10 to ma 18.

FOR CLERK OF SUPERIOR COURT.

To the Democratic Voters of New Hanover County:

With grateful acknowledgments of your generous support in the past, I announce myself a candidate for the office of Clerk of the Superior Court, subject to the Primary, May 18th, 1910.

p 12 to ma 18. JOHN. D. TAYLOR.

FOR SHERIFF.

I hereby respectfully announce myself as candidate for the nomination of Sheriff, subject to the will of the Democratic voters to be expressed at the Primary May 18th, 1910, and I also wish to thank the Democrats of this county for their support of me and confidence in my administration in past years. Respectfully,

ap 12 to ma 18. S. P. COWAN.

FOR REGISTER OF DEEDS.

Subject to the will of the people as expressed in the Democratic Primaries to be held in New Hanover county, I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Register of Deeds.

JOHN A. EVERITT, JR

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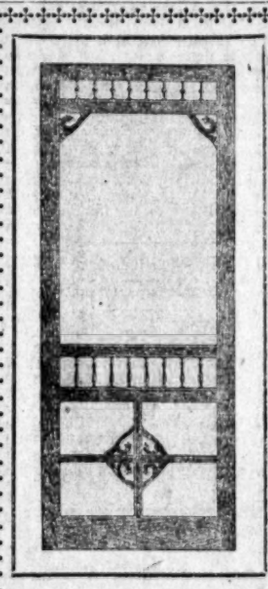

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THE WEATHER

U. S. Department of Agriculture Weather Bureau.

Wilmington, N. C., April 26, 1910.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending 8 P. M. Monday, April 25th:

Temperature at 8 A. M. 58 degrees; 8 P. M. 60 degrees; maximum 61 degrees; minimum 52 degrees; mean 61 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .08; for the month, 1.20 inch.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville at 8 A. M. Sunday 9.2 feet.

Weather Forecast.

For North Carolina—Fair cooler in east, rain in west portion Tuesday, followed by fair Wednesday, warmer; moderate west to northwest winds.

Port Calendar—April 25.

Sun Rises.....5:28 A. M.
Sun Sets.....6:52 P. M.
Day's Length.....13 hrs. 24 min.
High water at Southport 9:01 A. M.
High water at Wilmington 12:01 P. M.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

C. W. Yates & Co.—Picture Taking.
Southern National Bank—Travelers' Cheques.
James F. Post, Treasurer—Interest Notice.
James F. Post, Treasurer—Certificates of Indebtedness.

Business Locals.

Hilton Lumber Co.—Wood.
W. M. Sneeden—At Old Stand.
Wanted—First Class Canvasser.
Orton Barber Shop—If its Good.
J. E. Crayton & Co.—Years of Service.
Smith & Lord—Pretty Cottage Building.
Brown's Business College—Chartier Shorthand.

ANDREW CARNEGIE SPEAKS.

Tells of Taft's Greatness—Great Golden West.

Washington, April 25.—Andrew Carnegie, addressing the members and guests of the National Press Club tonight, declared President Taft was one of the greatest Presidents this country has had and that for his efforts for world peace the country would grant him a high place in history; commended the Payne-Aldrich tariff law as the best tariff law ever enacted; extolled the progress and spirit of the West, from which section he had just come after an extended toud, and made a vigorous plea for universal peace.

Beginning by confiding that while in his teens he had been imbued with an ambition to become a newspaper man but for some reason had been prevented, Mr. Carnegie launched into a laudation of the West. Had he not been prevented by fate, Mr. Carnegie thought possibly he might have owned a large number of newspapers and had the members of the National Press Club working for him—"Making a lot of you millionaires," he said.

"I have been responsible for 42 millionaires, I think," said Mr. Carnegie.

Commenting upon the military strength of the United States, he said there were 16,000,000 men in this country of military age, ready to resent an insult to "Old Glory" and he was one of them, "peace loving man as I am", he declared. "There is nothing to be gained by disarmament of nations," continued Mr. Carnegie. "You must bridge the chasm between peace and war. The only ruler who has attempted to do it is Taft, and history will accord him a position of being the first ruler who had the moral courage and the boldness to announce that no nation had the right to sit in judgment on its own cause."

"Germany and England have no right to go on arming themselves and preparing for war. This country has some rights. We won't sit here very long or go on as we are, spending millions for a navy merely for our protection.

"If I were President, I would insist that we be heard and our rights regarded. I would say as ruler Taft said 'You must submit your quarrels to arbitration,' and the day will come when we will have the power to enforce our demands in the direction of securing the peace of the world."

ACCIDENT AT MINE.

Falling of a Car Kills One and Injures Two Others.

Lancaster, S. C., April 25.—Henry Cantey, a negro, was instantly killed, Superintendent Spaulding had both legs broken, and Assistant Supt. John Bird had one leg and arm broken today by the falling of a car in the shaft of the Haile gold mine, 15 miles east of Lancaster. These men were standing at the bottom of the shaft when the car was handled to the top and the iron bar which held the car at the top of the shaft, by some oversight not being in place, the car dropped to the bottom of the shaft, striking the men below.

Charles D. Jones, of this city, one of the receivers of the company, left for the mine with physicians and is doing everything possible for the injured. The two injured men are being well cared for and it is said both will recover.

SENATOR DANIEL AT HOME.

His Condition Shows no Change—Trip From Florida.

Lynchburg, Va., April 25.—Senator John W. Daniel, of Virginia, who returned here yesterday from Daytona, Fla., where he had been seriously ill, passed a fairly good night after his long trip. The Senator's family physician, Dr. Waugh, said today that his condition showed no change. The doctor declared he noted improvement in the Senator's condition when compared with the last time he saw him, which was nearly a month ago.

Senator Daniels had more than five hours continuous sleep today and his condition seems improved tonight. He took an increased amount of nourishment today and his condition is said to be as satisfactory as it could be. Dr. Waugh expects more decided improvement in the patient's condition soon.

Roanoke, Va., April 25.—While alone in a room of his today, Campbell R. Davis, aged 62, shot and killed himself with a shot gun. The load tore off the top of the man's head. His wife declares the killing was an accident. The authorities say it was suicide. There was no inquest. Davis was a machinist and in bad health.

Lexington, Va.: Washington and Lee-Carolina, no game, rain.

At Winston-Salem-A. & M. game postponed, rain.

A MOVE TO HAMPER INQUIRY

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party, during the Fall campaign, in its efforts to controvert charges that inevitably would be made, that the tariff was responsible for many of the increases in the price of necessities.

After expressing the highest personal regard for the Republican Senators promoting the inquiry, Mr. Stone said:

"When I discover them playing a game of politics under the guise of performing a useful public service I mean to tell them so, without sugar coating what I say with compliments so profuse as to give to my performance a 'pickwickian' coloring. "I think the time has come when we should have a militant, not an apologetic democracy."

Mr. Smith (South Carolina) then introduced a resolution providing for an inquiry into the sale of cotton to the cotton pool. He said there had not been enough cotton sold to influence the price of cotton and that the New York sales had not been legitimate.

A. & M. AFFAIRS.

Agromeck Editors for 1911—Zebulon School on a Visit, Etc.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., April 25.—At a meeting of the Junior class, J. P. Quinnerly was elected editor in chief of the 1911 Agromeck, the annual publication of the Senior class. The editor-in-chief has announced the following as his assistants and colloborators: F. T. Peden, business manager; J. T. Peden, assistant business manager; R. L. Morrison, O. M. Sigmen, C. E. Bell, T. D. Harris, T. C. Barber, J. W. Rollinson, L. E. Steele, Jr., Geo. R. Ross, J. H. Brown, G. W. Gillette and T. W. Thorne, editors. With a board of editors such as these, the success of the 1911 Agromeck is already assured.

Saturday morning the college had the pleasure of entertaining 105 pupils of the Zebulon schools, who were on a sightseeing visit to the Capital City. The visitors remained over to dinner, which was served to them on the college campus.

There is a movement on foot here looking to the organization of a debating team to represent the college next session in intercollegiate contests. This movement was started by the two literary societies and has the backing of the faculty. The annual oration contest between the two literary societies, the Leozor and the Pullen, will be held in Pullen Hall Saturday night.

One of the most enjoyable banquets of the year was the Junior class banquet, held at Griesch's Hotel Friday night, J. M. Beall, president of the class, presided as toastmaster. Toasts were responded to by the following: R. L. Morrison, J. P. Quinnerly, G. L. Thompson, captain of the Junior class baseball team; O. M. Sigman, Geo. R. Ross and H. Y. Mott, manager of the college track team, a specially invited guest.

NEWS OF LUMBERTON.

Editor on Pleasant Mission—Town Politics—Weather Cold.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Lumberton, N. C., April 25.—Mr. J. A. Sharpe, editor of the Robesonian, left on the evening train for Baltimore, Md., where on Wednesday he will be united in marriage with Miss Daisy Courtney, of that city. Miss Courtney is well known and highly esteemed here, having for the past several seasons been connected with the millinery establishment of Miss Josephine Breece. Mr. and Mrs. Sharpe are expected to arrive in Lumberton in a week or ten days. They will reside in a new house on Fifth street, near the First Baptist church, which has just been completed, the property of Miss Josephine Breece. The happy couple will have the best wishes of a large circle of friends.

The town primary, which will be held here tomorrow promises to be interesting so far as the race for Mayor is concerned, but the indications now are that Mr. John A. Rowland will be elected for a third term.——Mr. J. D. Nutt, State Deputy Grand Chancellor, visited Lumberton Lodge No. 35, K. of P., here tonight. Mr. Nutt always receives a hearty welcome when he comes to Lumberton.

Thirty-seven years ago tonight, April 25th. 1873, this section was visited by a heavy, killing frost and tonight fire and overcoats are in demand, but it is not cold enough at 9 o'clock for frost, though the wind is blowing almost a gale and it is turning cold very fast.

A DETERMINED WAR.

Charlotte Chronicle's View of Blind Tiger Crusade Here.

Editor Wade Harris, of the Charlotte Chronicle, who recently visited here and had something to say of blind tigers, has the following editorial in his paper yesterday afternoon:

"The crusade against the blind tigers in Wilmington is one of the most determined ever conducted in the State. The prosecutors of the crusade are well organized. Freight depots are being investigated, bills of lading examined and depot agents and draymen haled to court to testify. There is no doubt of the fact that the violators of the prohibition laws in Wilmington have been flagrant. It might be said that they have been defiant and the indications are that the citizens who are now moving for enforcement of the law, will succeed in bruising the serpent's head. The blind tigers of that town have invited whatever penalty they may fall under. In this effort to enforce the law, Wilmington will gain in the respect of the people of the State."

ENDS N. & S. LITIGATION.

Decision of Supreme Court Yesterday —Denied Petition.

Washington, April 25.—The Supreme Court of the United States today denied the petition of the VanDyke-Zell syndicate of Philadelphia for a writ of certorari in the Norfolk & Southern Railway receivership which means the end of this litigation with early delivery of the property to the Norfolk & Southern Railway reorganization headed by Marsden J. Perry, of Providence, R. I., and others. The petitioners on the ground of a previous contract of purchase sought to intervene and prevent delivery of the property to the reorganization under its auction purchase at $8,500,000.

GOV. HUGHES TO SUCCEED BREWER

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Harlan.

"I am delighted to hear it," declared Justice White.

"Governor Hughes is a man of high character and great ability," was Justice McKenna's comment.

Justice Lurton smiled; no longer would he be the newest member of the court.

Among members of the Supreme Court bar the unanimous expression was that Governor Hughes will make an excellent judge.

About the first question heard after the announcement of the selection was concerning the attitude of the new member of the court on the trust problems as involved in the dissolution suits against the Standard Oil and tobacco corporations. The general conclusions were that the record of the New York man showed he came to the court without prejudices, having fought corporations where he thought them guilty of wrong doing, and protected their rights where he considered them persecuted.

No official in Washington was more pleased than Attorney General Wickersham over Governor Hughes' acceptance. He expressed himself delighted over what had occurred and as confident that the Governor will make an excellent judge. As soon as he learned that the Governor had actually accepted, Mr. Wickersham sent the following dispatch to him at Albany:

"I want to express my great personal gratification that you have determined to accept the Supreme Court justiceship."

Members of the New York Congressional delegation received with satisfaction the news of the appointment. Their comments were all along the same line, being unqualified approval of the selection.

Bryan Opposed to Hughes.

Lincoln, Neb., April 25.—W. J. Bryan commented tonight on the appointment of Governor Hughey as Associate Justice of the Supreme Court in part as follows:

"The appointment of Governor Hughes to the Supreme Court bench will be regarded by many as a popular appointment. He has been put forward as a reformer, and seems to be considered one by a great many good people, but his reputation as a reformer rests upon a few official acts which show him opposed to grafting and to the individual vices. But no one who will examine his record, can doubt that he is in close sympathy with the exploiting corporations. He is understood to be a close personal friend of Rockefeller and the published reports show that the trust magnates have contributed liberally to his campaign funds. He has not hesitated to show that he acknowledges in his indebtedness. In 1908 he was the chief defender of the inaction of the Republican party on the trust question.

"It will be remembered that he was the first prominent man to oppose the income tax and his opposition came after Mr. Rockefeller had announced hostility to the income tax amendment. What would he do on the Supreme bench if any question arose affecting the income tax? His speeches show that he feels no hostility toward private monopolies, and there is no reason to doubt that his decisions would be in line with his speeches.

"Governor Hughes exemplifies the individual virtues and naturally demands honesty in the public service, but he is a shining illustrating of that peculiar type of citizen developed in this country during the present generation—the citizen who personally opposes vice and is a punisher of small crimes, but shows no indignation at the larger forms of legalized robbery."

MEMORY OF DR. ALEXANDER

Appropriate and Very Beautiful Services Sunday at University.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Chapel Hill, N. C., April 25.—In Gerrard Hall Sunday afternoon at 5 P. M., memorial services in honor of the late Dr. Eben Alexander, dean of the University of North Carolina, were held. The services were the embodiment of the heartfelt grief of the student body, faculty, and trustees of the University, and by their sincerity and deep sympathy clearly showed the love and high esteem in which this generous and magnetic personality was held by all with whom he came into contact.

The services were opened with prayer by Rev. R. W. Hogue. Ex-President Kemp Plummer Battle presided and gave a brief account of Dr. Alexander's life, paying him high tribute. After a selection by a quartette Mr. A. H. Wolfe, president of the Senior Class, spoke feelingly for the student body, while other speakers were Prof. W. S. Bernad, in behalf of the faculty Mr. Josephus Daniels, in behalf of the trustees. Mr. Daniels voiced the sentiment of the entire assemblage when he said, "May the Nation, may the State and may the University produce scholars worthy to walk in the steps of Dr. Eben Alexander, the ideal type of the true and courteous Southern gentleman, diplomat and scholar." The services were appropriately brought to a close by a rendition of "Lead Kindly Light" and a benediction by Rev. Mr. Hogue.

FIGHT WITH CONVICTS.

Two Killed and Three Wounded in Attempted Escape.

Cannon City, Col., April 25.—John Bradley and Andrew Johnson, convicts, were killed and three other prisoners were probably fatally wounded today while attempting to escape from the State penitentiary. A fight with guards took place in the corridor of the cell house. Five convicts had escaped from their cells and were preparing to dynamite their way to the penitentiary yard when they were met by Warden Tynan and his guards. One of the convicts was armed with a revolver and opened fire, while the others fought desperately to overcome the officers, who shot down one convict after another. Harry Brophy, who was a trusty, had smuggled in the revolver and is supposed to have planned the escape. Bradley and Johnson were serving terms for murder.

Brophy, W. G. Williams and John Miller, the men wounded, were serving terms for burglary. Brophy was to have been pardoned tomorrow.

LEWIS TO BE RELEASED.

John Armstrong Chaloner Helps Him Out of Asylum.

New York, April 25.—Through the aid rendered by John Armstrong Chaloner, of Albemarle county, Va., Robert W. Lewis, a promoter formerly of the same county, stands a good chance of being released from an insane asylum at Central Islip, L. I., where he was committed last year at the instance of his wife and son. Although Chaloner has never seen Lewis, he instructed a New York attorney to bring his proceedings for Lewis' release.

At a hearing today, Justice Crane decided that it was safe to release the promoter under $1,000 bond. Chaloner has been communicated with and if he supplies the necessary funds Lewis will have his liberty.

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WOOD—For quick fires; phone us. Hilton Lumber Co., 'phone 321. ap 26 1t

IF IT IS GOOD workmanship and cleanliness that you are looking for, you can find both at The Orton sanitary barber shop. Six white barbers. Would appreciate a trial. ap 26 tf

I AM STILL at the same old stand, W. M. Sneeden; all produce and sea food in season, strawberries, soft crabs, tomatoes, chickens and eggs. City Market House. ap 25 1t*

FREE—A correspondence course in Chartier short-hand to the person writing the best letter of application for same. Can be learned in two months' time, and written at the rate of 2.. words per minute. Address Brown's Business College, Realty Building, Charlotte, N. C. ap 26 4t*

FROM HOLLAND—Tree roses, dwarf roses, bonwood and other nursery stock in dormant state fit for planting out now. The Holland Nurseries, Castle Haynes, N. C. ap 26 3t*

ONE OF THE FINEST cottage buildings on a Third street corner lot for sale. Has modern conveniences and cistern; convenient to union depot, postoffice, street car, etc. Beautiful shade trees to keep you cool in Summer. Quick sale demanded by owner, so call early. Smith & Lord, Agents, 120 Princess street. 'Phone 795. ap 26 tf.

YEARS OF SERVICE can be added to your old typewriter by having it repaired and adjusted before it goes long. It is economy to have your old machine looked after often and by our factory experts. J. E. Crayton & Co., Charlotte, N. C. ap 26 3t.

HOMES FOR SALE, corner of Fifth and Chesnut streets, 616 Chesnut street, 914 Market street and several other choice places, call and let us show them to you. J. G. Wright & Son. ap 24 3t

WE CAN OFFER you two of the best places on the sound, one on Wrightsville and the other on Greenville. Each of these has a large lot with a good house facing the water. J. G. Wright & Son. ap 24 3t

BUILDING AND LOAN TALK—You undoubtedly realize the importance of systematic saving. You have read and heard a great deal about the folly of extravagance and the wisdom of economy. You have seen actual instances of the disastrous results of the former and the happy consequences of the latter. Now, the question is, what are you going to do about it as regards your own habits? Will you start today to save a portion of your income regularly or will you continue to procrastinate and postpone the start until a more convenient season? Doing something definite will help you. Come into the Co-operative Association. Saturday, May 7th, 25 cents will start you. Don't delay, books now open for subscription. Wm. E. Worth president, B. C. Moore vice president, Thos. H. Wright secretary and treasurer, No. 124 Princess street. ap 24 3t

FOR SALE—125 h. p. Corliss engine, 125 h. p. steam boiler, boiler feed pump, hot water heater, damper regulator, oil pump, all pipes and fittings. Address "K. F. M." care Star. ap 24 2t

FOR SALE—Gasolene yawl boat, 3 1-2 to 4 horse power, 15 feet long, 4 1-2 feet wide. Regal engine, in good condition; will seat four to five; has raised deck, hard oil finish; price $95. Apply aboard tug Sea King. ap 24 2t

WANTED—Two young men boarders, comfortable rooms with bath, electric light, telephone and good table fare. Address Box 548, City. ap 24 3t*

LARGE COMMISSION to local representatives, men and women, selling my "Solid Aluminum Gem" cooker and household utilities. Free sample to producers. Write Wm. R. Branch, wholesale dept., S. 2 S. 14th street, Richmond, Va. ap 24 3t*

50,000 STRONG well-rooted Charleston Wakefield cabbage plants—the best variety for Summer cabbage at $1.00 per thousand or $1.50 for 2,000, while they last. Oakdale Farm, Marshville, N. C. ap 24 2t*

FOR SALE—Model "G" Franklin touring car, five-passenger, first class condition, newly painted, price $700. Address "K. F. M." care of Star. ap 24 2t.

ANNOUNCEMENT—Messrs. Foltz & Kendrick wish to announce that they have taken possession of the E. C. Ellis Studio. They have placed it in a perfectly sanitary condition, and are prepared to make the finest class of portrait work ever shown in Wilmington. ap 24 tf

FOR RENT—May 1st, residence No. 501 South Front street. Nine rooms, bath and pantry. J. E. Hall, letter carrier. ap 24 tf

FOR RENT, May 1st, cottage No. 503 South Front; has five rooms, bath and pantry. J. E. Hall, letter carrier. ap 24 tf

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WANTED—Young man who is not afraid of work and has had some experience in grocery business. No cigarette smoker need apply. Address "A. B. C." care Star office. ap 23 6t*

ATTENTION ODD FELLOWS: The ninety-first anniversary of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows will be held at the Academy of Music Tuesday night, April 26th, when all Odd Fellows, their families and friends and the public, are cordially invited to be present. John E. Wood, Secretary Joint Committee. ap 23 3t

SULTANA OLIVE OIL—Mr. Vafiadi, the Sultana agent here, has arranged to have this oil distributed in the future by Hall's drug store, Fifth and Castle. Pints 50c. Quarts $1.00. Phone orders filled promptly. no 4 tf

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WE HAVE IT all for you. Nice dressed chickens and turkeys. Best of beef, veal, lamb, pork, etc. Complete line of early Spring vegetables to be found in the city. Call and see us today. Palace Market. Phone No. 72. ap 23 tf

ARE YOU GOING on your vacation? See Uncle Charley for a good leather suit case, a good trunk, 108 Market street. Just a whisper from Front street. ap 23 tf

DELMONICO CAFE as a whole or will sell fixtures, stock or furnishings separately, also fixtures at the Lumina Restaurant. Apply Chas. Anderson, Delmonico Cafe, Box 227. ap 22 4t*

FOR SALE—Sorrel horse, seven years old. Good driver and saddler. Apply 18 Market street. apr 22-6t.

MEN WANTED—To work in saw mills, shipping lumber and logging department of Waccamaw Lumber Co., Bolton and Makatoka N. C. ap 20 6t

LOOK HERE LEWIS! If you want fancy prices for your hides, chickens, S. potatoes and N. C. meats while they are in good demand, ship them to C. D. Gilbert, 212 Market street. ap 17 tf

WANTED—Poplar, cypress and ash umber sawn to order; can use any quantity; inspection made at mill. Wayne Lumber Co., John S. Mitchell, 212 Red Cross street. ap 6 to 30*

WANTED—Experienced men in slack barrel heading mill. Good wages and steady work. Address Camden Lumber Co., 712 Law Building, Norfolk, Va. ap 7 1m*

WANTED—All the Panama, straw and felt hats in North Carolina to be cleaned and re-shaped like new by the American Practical Hatter 128 Market street, Wilmington, N. C. 'Phone 1159. ma 30 1m*

BREAD, PIES, CAKE—The largest bread shipper in the State. Special attention to out-of-town orders. My bread is "Inferior to none, superior to most." Farris' Bakery, 109 South Front street. P. O. Box 489. ma 30 1m.

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WEAR Large Hats

so stylish this season will delight in our showing of Hat Pins.

They're Fancy Hat Pins,—an ornament to any hat—and long enough to hold the large hats securely on the head.

Do you need this kind?

A. O. SCHUSTER
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104 North Front Street.

FORT CASWELL N. C., APRIL 21, 1910. Sealed Proposals in triplicate, for furnishing and installing electric power plant and electric lighting system, will be received here until 3 o'clock, P. M., May 25th, 1910, and then publicly opened. Information furnished upon request. Plans and Specifications may be obtained upon deposit of $10.00, to guarantee return. Envelopes containing Proposal should be marked "Proposal for Electric System" and addressed to 1st Lieut W. R. McCleary, C. A. C., Constg. Q. M. ap 25 27 28 29, ma 24 25.

ATLANTIC COAST LINE RAILROAD CO.

Office of the Treasurer.
Wilmington, N. C., April 19, 1910.

The Board of Directors of the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company has declared two per cent. interest on the Certificates of Indebtedness of that Company, payable at the office of the Treasurer, at Wilmington, N. C., on and after May 1st, 1910. The transfer books are closed from the 20th day of April, 1910, to the 2nd day of May, 1910, both inclusive.

JAMES, F. POST, Treasurer.
ap 26 to ma 2.

ATLANTIC COAST LINE RAILROAD CO.

Office of the Treasurer.
Wilmington, N. C., April 21, 1910.

The Board of Directors of the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company has ordered paid two per cent. interest on the Convertible 6-30 Year Four Per cent. Gold Debenture Bonds of that Company; the interest being payable at the office of the Treasurer, at Wilmington, N. C., on and after May 1st, 1910. The transfer books are closed from the 19th day of April, 1910, to the 2nd day of May, 1910, both inclusive.

JAMES F. POST, Treasurer.
ap 26 to ma 2.

Cooper This Cooper That

Cooper cuts for cash.
Cooper sells on 30 days.
Cooper sells on 60 days.
Cooper sells Fall time.
Cooper sells Spring time.
Cooper loans money.
Cooper sticks by friends.
Cooper protects dealers.
Cooper consigns goods.
Cooper wants business.
Come to see Cooper.

W. B. Cooper.
Wilmington, N. C.
ap 30 tf

Why expect to be in comfortable circumstances unless you conserve your present

Income?

A Check Account at this bank will help you.

American National Bank
113 North Front Street.
Wilmington, N. C.
ap 22 tf

A. D. Brown

Is showing a full line of Axminster, Smyrna, Crex and Jute Rugs in all sizes; Linoleum and Oil Cloth, Upholstery Goods and Draperies; new line of Mattings.

Ladies' Ready-to-Wear Department—Tailored Suits, Wash Suits, Separate Skirts, Muslin Underwear, Dressing Sacques and Kimonas, Tailored and Lingure Shirt Waists,

Trunks, Bags and Suit Cases—We have just received a full line of Cane Suit Cases and Club Bags. We will be pleased to have you give us a call before making your purchases.

Agents for Black Cat Hosiery, American Lady Corsets and Butterick's Patterns. Out-of-town orders will receive prompt attention.

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ap 24 tf

THE TIME---THE PLACE!

The Clock Stopped This Time at 7:15.06

The lucky number being held this time by Mr. Robert Jones.

A 41-piece Dinner Set given away every Thursday at 4:30 P. M. for 24 consecutive Thursdays. Spend your cash with us for Clothing and Shoes and win the next set.

J. W. H. Fuchs.
Sole Agent for Holeproof Hosiery.
128 to 138 S. Front St. Wilmington, N. C.

The Last Turn of the Wheel!

The last count of the Piano votes before the final count, May 5th, was made Friday morning. See how the contestants line up.

	Previous Count	Gain	Present Standing
St. John's Sunday School	17,226	2,085	19,311
Mrs. Williams	17,184	838	18,022
Miss Bannerman	12,895	3,119	16,014
Fenley Bros.	6,473	10	6,483
Miss Houston	2,139	25	2,164

Bear in mind one thing—There is no telling how many votes each contestant is holding back for the final plunge. 14 more days to win the battle. $5.00 deposited to your credit gives you 100 votes; $50.00 gives you 1,000 votes, and $100.00 gives you 2,000 votes and you get value received in merchandise for every penny you deposit with us to your credit.

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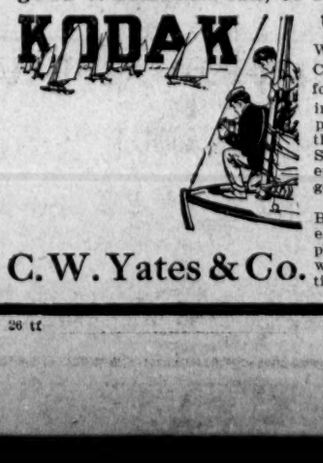

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a 26 tf